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## WELCOME TO ANIME EXPO 2016!

This year marks Anime Expo's 25th event, and in 25 years, Anime Expo has grown from its humble college club beginnings to one of the biggest anime conventions in the world.

This year will feature an even bigger Exhibit Hall, a bigger Artist Alley, the Anisong World Matsuri, and much, much more. Next year, we'll continue our 25 year celebration with our 25th anniversary and a five-day long Anime Expo!

Big thanks go out to all our employees, our volunteers, our industry partners, and our vendors who all come together to make Anime Expo possible. We hope you have a wonderful and memorable experience this year!

Sincerely,  
Ray Chiang  
CEO

## ABOUT THE SPJA

The Society for the Promotion of Japanese Animation is a non-profit organization whose mission is to popularize and educate the American public about anime and manga, as well as provide a forum to facilitate communication between professionals and fans. This organization produces several events: Cosplay Expo®, Anime Expo®, and Project Anime®. For more information, visit [www.SPJA.org](http://www.SPJA.org).

## ABOUT ANIME EXPO

Now in its 25th year, Anime Expo is North America's largest celebration of anime, manga, and Japanese pop culture. Anime Expo gives fans the rare opportunity to meet and hear from some of the most famous anime, manga, music, game and fashion artists from around the world. AX 2016 takes place July 1-4, 2016 at the Los Angeles Convention Center.

For more information, visit [www.Anime-Expo.org](http://www.Anime-Expo.org).

# GENERAL INFORMATION

Age of 18 only during badge pick up. An adult over the age of 18 at both badge pick up.

## EXHIBIT HALL HOURS

**DAY 1**  
FRI, JULY 1

12:00 PM\* -  
6:00 PM

**DAY 2**  
SAT, JULY 2

10:00 AM -  
6:00 PM

**DAY 3**  
SUN, JULY 3

10:00 AM -  
6:00 PM

**DAY 4**  
MON, JULY 4

10:00 AM -  
3:00 PM

\*Opens at 11:00 AM on Day 1 for Premier Fan pass holders.

## ARTIST ALLEY HOURS - KENTIA HALL

**DAY 1**  
FRI, JULY 1

12:00 PM -  
6:00 PM

**DAY 2**  
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10:00 AM -  
6:00 PM

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# REGISTRATION INFORMATION

## GENERAL REGISTRATION HOURS - SOUTH HALL LOBBY

DAY 0 THU, JUNE 30	DAY 1 FRI, JULY 1	DAY 2 SAT, JULY 2	DAY 3 SUN, JULY 3	DAY 4 MON, JULY 4
12:00 PM - 11:59 PM	7:00 AM - 8:00 PM	7:00 AM - 8:00 PM	7:00 AM - 8:00 PM	7:00 AM - 1:00 PM

## ARTIST ALLEY AND EXHIBITOR REGISTRATION - HALL K ENTRANCE

DAY 0 THU, JUNE 30	DAY 1 FRI, JULY 1	DAY 2 SAT, JULY 2	DAY 3 SUN, JULY 3	DAY 4 MON, JULY 4
12:00 PM - 9:00 PM	8:00 AM - 6:00 PM	8:00 AM - 6:00 PM	8:00 AM - 6:00 PM	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

## PRESS AND INDUSTRY REGISTRATION - 309 FOYER (MEETING ROOM LEVEL)

DAY 0 THU, JUNE 30	DAY 1 FRI, JULY 1	DAY 2 SAT, JULY 2	DAY 3 SUN, JULY 3	DAY 4 MON, JULY 4
12:00 PM - 9:00 PM	8:00 AM - 6:00 PM	8:00 AM - 6:00 PM	8:00 AM - 6:00 PM	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

## REGISTRATION AREAS

See Convention Center Map on pages 26-27.



## AGE POLICY

Attendees ages 13 and under must be accompanied by an adult over the age of 18 at both badge pick up and for the duration of the event. Attendees age 17 and under must be accompanied by an adult over the age of 18 only during badge pick up. A valid form of ID is required for all attendees to pick up their badge. Any programming designated 18+ will require attendees to show either a valid photo ID or an 18+ access wristband in order to gain admittance. To obtain an 18+ access wristband, please visit any Info Services booth or Event Operations in Room 508A.

## LOST AND FOUND

If you have lost an item at Anime Expo, please visit Event Operations for assistance. Event Operations is located in West Hall, Room 508A. If you would like to turn in a lost item, you can drop it off at any Info Services Booth or at Event Operations.

## ADA ACCOMMODATIONS

Anime Expo is dedicated to serving all of its attendees. For all questions regarding ADA services, please visit Event Operations or any Info Services Booth in the convention center.

## REFUND AND CANCELLATION POLICY

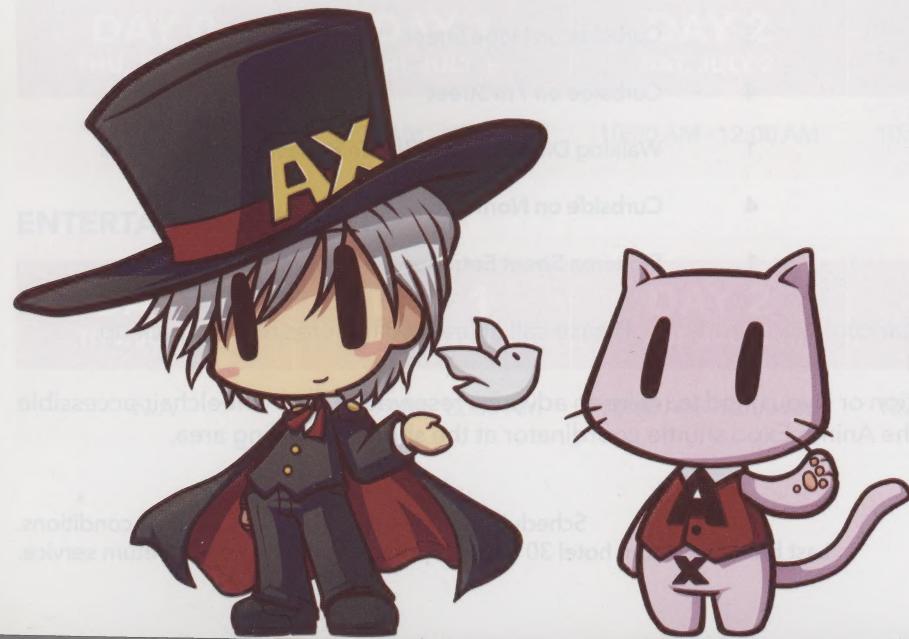
All registration fees are non-refundable for on-site registration. Due to the high volume of badge piracy, 1-Day and 4-Day badge reprints cost \$45 and Premier Fan badge reprints cost \$125. (We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.)

## BAG CHECK

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DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)	DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)	DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)
9:00 AM - 2:00 AM	9:00 AM - 2:00 AM	9:00 AM - 2:00 AM	9:00 AM - 4:00 PM



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Free transportation is provided to Anime Expo badge holders between the Los Angeles Convention Center and select official Anime Expo hotels. Information signs are posted at each shuttle boarding location and in front of the West Hall lobby entrance.



### SHUTTLE HOURS OF OPERATION

DATE	SERVICE HOURS	SERVICE EVERY
JUNE 30	7:00 AM - 1:00 AM	30-60 minutes
JULY 1 - JULY 3	24 hours per day service	20-60 minutes
JULY 4	7:00 AM - 10:00 PM	20-60 minutes

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Courtyard Los Angeles LA Live	N/A	Walking Distance from Convention Center
DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Los Angeles Downtown	2	Curbside on Los Angeles Street
Hilton Checkers Los Angeles	3	Walk to Millennium Biltmore - Curbside on Grand Avenue
JW Marriott Los Angeles at LA Live	N/A	Walking Distance from Convention Center
Kawada Hotel	2	On Hill Street at 2nd
Luxe City Center Hotel	N/A	Walking Distance from Convention Center
Millennium Biltmore Hotel	3	Curbside on Grand Avenue - End of Driveway
Residence Inn Los Angeles Downtown LA Live	N/A	Walking Distance from Convention Center
Ritz Milner	N/A	Walking Distance from Convention Center
Sheraton Los Angeles Downtown Hotel	3	Curbside on Hope Street
The Historic Mayfair Hotel	4	Curbside on 7th Street
The LA Hotel Downtown	1	Walking Distance from Westin Bonaventure- Curbside
The Line Hotel	4	Curbside on Normandie
Westin Bonaventure Hotel & Suites	1	Figueroa Street Entrance

 For Shuttle Information & Special Assistance: **(310) 466-5699**. Please call at least 60 minutes prior to pick-up.

If you have any questions about transportation or if you need to make an advance reservation for a wheelchair-accessible shuttle, please call (310) 466-5699 or see the Anime Expo shuttle coordinator at the shuttle boarding area.

# SAFESPACE

SPJA and AX understand the importance of protecting all youth and participants both at our events and in our online community. Anyone feeling bullied, harassed, or the need to get away for a few moments, please visit the Info Booths in these locations to find a SafeSpace.



## SOUTH HALL LOBBY

DAY 0 THU, JUNE 30	DAY 1 FRI, JULY 1	DAY 2 SAT, JULY 2	DAY 3 SUN, JULY 3	DAY 4 MON, JULY 4
11:00 AM - 12:00 AM	7:00 AM - 8:00 PM	7:00 AM - 8:00 PM	7:00 AM - 8:00 PM	7:00 AM - 5:00 PM

## WEST HALL LOBBY

DAY 0 THU, JUNE 30	DAY 1 FRI, JULY 1	DAY 2 SAT, JULY 2	DAY 3 SUN, JULY 3	DAY 4 MON, JULY 4
8:00 AM - 9:00 PM	8:00 AM - 2:00 AM	8:00 AM - 2:00 AM	8:00 AM - 2:00 AM	8:00 AM - 6:00 PM

## EXHIBIT HALL

DAY 0 THU, JUNE 30	DAY 1 FRI, JULY 1	DAY 2 SAT, JULY 2	DAY 3 SUN, JULY 3	DAY 4 MON, JULY 4
N/A	12:00 PM - 6:00 PM	10:00 AM - 6:00 PM	10:00 AM - 6:00 PM	10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

## KENTIA HALL

DAY 0 THU, JUNE 30	DAY 1 FRI, JULY 1	DAY 2 SAT, JULY 2	DAY 3 SUN, JULY 3	DAY 4 MON, JULY 4
N/A	10:00 AM - 12:00 AM	10:00 AM - 12:00 AM	10:00 AM - 12:00 AM	10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

## ENTERTAINMENT HALL

DAY 0 THU, JUNE 30	DAY 1 FRI, JULY 1	DAY 2 SAT, JULY 2	DAY 3 SUN, JULY 3	DAY 4 MON, JULY 4
N/A	10:00 AM - 12:00 AM	10:00 AM - 12:00 AM	10:00 AM - 12:00 AM	10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

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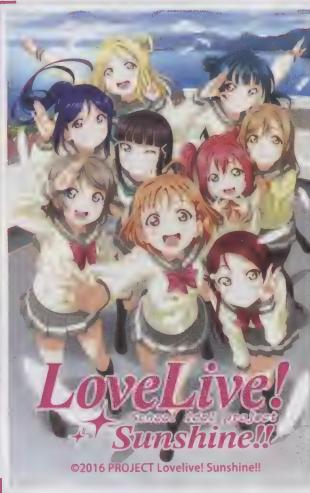
# GUESTS OF HONOR



## AMANDA MILLER

### VOICE ACTRESS

From voicing Cherche and Sully in *Fire Emblem: Awakening*, to filling bad guys with arrows as Marvel superhero Kate Bishop/Hawkeye, Amanda is best known for playing spunky anime and video game heroines. She can also be heard as Sailor Jupiter/Makoto Kino in the Viz dub of *Sailor Moon*, as well as Junko Enoshima and Toko Fukawa in *Danganronpa*.



## AQOURS

### MUSIC

The school idol group "Aqours"(pronounced as "aqua") formed in Uchiura, Numazu-city, Shizuoka Prefecture is spread in different types of media including CD releases with animation trailer videos in DVD & Blu-ray, events, magazines, and smart phone applications. Anju Inami (Chika Takami), Rikako Aida (Riko Sakurauchi), Nanaka Suwa (Kanan Matsuura), Arisa Komiya (Dia Kurosawa), Kanako Takatsuki (Hanamaru Kunikida), and Ai Furihata (Ruby Kurosawa) will all be part of ~Love Live! Sunshine!! Event: Nice to Meet You, We are Aqours!!~.



## CHERAMI LEIGH

### VOICE ACTRESS

Cherami Leigh has been in the industry for 20 years. She has been in over 75 commercials and worked on over 100 anime projects including Lucy in *Fairy Tail*, Asuna in *Sword Art Online*, Sailor Venus in *Sailor Moon*, and Mika in *Psycho Pass*.



## CHIKA ANZAI

### VOICE ACTRESS

Voice actress Chika Anzai started her career in 2009, when she played Nagisa Mikogami in the anime series *Animal Detective Kiruminzoo*. She is best known as Reina Kousaka in *Sound! Euphonium* and Mary in *Grimgar of Fantasy and Ash*.



## CRISTINA VEE

VOICE ACTRESS

Since her first large anime roles in 2007, Cristina has voiced over 100 characters in both animation and video games. Notable roles include Mio Akiyama in *K-ON!*, Homura Akemi in *Madoka Magica*, Morgiana in *Magi: The Labyrinth of Magic*, and Sailor Mars in *Sailor Moon*.



## DANNY CHOO

PERSONALITY

Danny Choo is the creator of a brand called Culture Japan, which shares Japanese culture through in-house produced TV shows, character content and a fashion doll known as Smart Doll.



## DEMPAGUMI.INC

MUSIC

Dempagumi.inc is a Japanese idol group composed of six girls: Mirin Furukawa, Risa Aizawa, Nemu Yumemi, Eimi Naruse, Moga Mogami and Ayane Fujisaki. They are all originally hardcore geeks / otakus of anime, manga, games, fashion, art, etc. each pursuing their own hobbies!



## DJ HEAVYGRINDER

MUSIC

HEAVYGRINDER's unique blend of metal, electronica, and Japanese rock pop, along with their stunning anime-inspired visuals, sets them apart. They've performed at Coachella and EDC, as well as in Japan, South Korea, and more.



## DJ KAZU

MUSIC

DJ Kazu is a J-POP & Anisong DJ who has been attracting attention in the world of anime music. His outstanding mixing technique and cutting-edge track selections makes everyone dance and feel excited.



## DYNAMITE TOMMY

FASHION

Former COLOR vocalist Dynamite Tommy was a major influence in the creation of visual kei music and culture. Producer of the *Grappler Baki* anime and founder of record label Free-Will, Tommy is also associated with fashion brands DIRT by DIR EN GREY's Toshiya and KOMACHI 2266531 Dark Lolita, a Gothic Lolita-style brand for plus-sized women.



## EIR AOI

MUSIC

Since her major label debut in October 2011 with her hit single "Memoria", Eir Aoi's hits know no end with "Innocence", "Sirius", "Ignite", and "Lapis Lazuli". Eir Aoi also has many other popular tracks.



## ERICA MENDEZ

VOICE ACTRESS

Erica's best-known roles include Ryuko in *KILL la KILL*, Gon in *HunterxHunter* (2011), Aladdin in *Magi: The Labyrinth of Magic*, Yuuki Konno in *Sword Art Online II*, and Nico in *Love Live!* She also voices Haruka/Sailor Uranus in the new VIZ Media re-dub of *Sailor Moon*, along with many more.



## FLOW

MUSIC

With twin vocals and strong, catchy melodies, FLOW is a 5 man rock band. They can be heard in a number of anime opening themes such as *Naruto*, *Code Geass*, *Eureka Seven*, and *Seven Deadly Sins*.



## JAM PROJECT

MUSIC

JAM Project was launched in the year 2000 by powerful singers representing the Anisong industry. With a desire to create unique theme songs for anime series, JAM Project has released more than 100 songs to date.



## JUNICHI SUWABE

VOICE ACTOR

Junichi Suwabe started his voice acting career in 1995 and has been all over the scene since then. With many leading roles including: Worick in *GANGSTA*, Dandy in *Space Dandy*, Keigo Atobe in *The Prince of Tennis*, Daiki Aomine in *Kuroko's Basketball*, Archer in *Fate/stay night*, Yoji Itami in *GATE*, and Ren Jingui in *Uta no Prince-sama*.



## KAZUE KATO

CREATOR

Manga creator and illustrator Kazue Kato's latest series is *Blue Exorcist*, which began in *Jump Square* in April of 2009 and became a hit anime series. *BLUE EXORCIST*, as well as her *TIME KILLERS: KAZUE KATO SHORT STORY COLLECTION*, are published in North America by VIZ Media.



## KAZUYA TSURUMAKI

CREATOR

Prior to making his debut as a full-fledged director of *FLCL*, Kazuya Tsurumaki served as animation director for *Nadia: The Secret of Blue Water* and as assistant director for *Neon Genesis Evangelion*, as well as directed *His and Her Circumstances*. He is also currently working as a director on the *Rebuild of Evangelion* film series.



## KEN AYUGAI

PERSONALITY

In various mediums, Ken Ayugai has been widely recognized in Japan through his work as voice talent. He has been an active player in the Japanese entertainment industry for over 20 years as a musician, actor, radio DJ and TV personality.



## KOJI IGARASHI

CREATOR

Co-Founder and producer at ArtPlay Inc., he is known for his work on *Castlevania: Symphony of the Night*, *Tokimeki Memorial*, and *Detana!! TwinBee*. Koji Igarashi is the producer and scenario writer for *Bloodstained: Ritual of the Night*.



## LUNA HARUNA

MUSIC

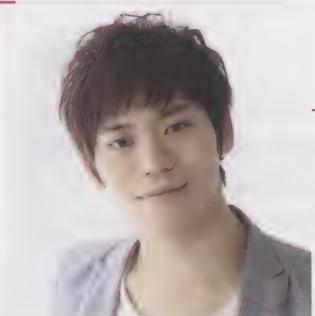
Luna Haruna is an upcoming Anisong artist in Japan known for performing theme songs for *Fate/Zero*, *Sword Art Online*, *Monogatari*, and *Saekano: How to Raise a Boring Girlfriend*.



## MAIDREAMIN

PERSONALITY

Maidreamin is the No.1 Maid Café restaurant in Akihabara and the largest maid cafe chain with 17 locations and over 400 servants from Japan and around the world. This year, three of Maidreamin's most loved and awarded maids will play host at Anime Expo as "Maidreamin Special Unit: 003".



## MAKOTO FURUKAWA

VOICE ACTOR

Furukawa's notable roles include Saitama in *One Punch Man*, Hiroto Suwa in *Orange*, Yutaro Kindaichi in *Haikyuu!!*, Kamito Kazehaya in *Blade Dance of Elementalers*, and Ookurikara in the online game *Touken Ranbu*.



## MASAHIKO MINAMI

CREATOR

Masahiko Minami started his career at Sunrise where he produced *Cowboy Bebop* and *Vision of Escaflowne*. In 1998, he founded BONES Inc. where he produced titles such as *Fullmetal Alchemist*, *Psalm of the Planets/Eureka Seven*, *Space Dandy*, *Snow White with the Red Hair*, and more.



## MAYUMI SHINTANI

VOICE ACTRESS

Some of Shintani's major roles include Tsubasa Shibahime in *His and Her Circumstances*, Haruko Haruhara in *FLCL*, Lolo in *Brigadoon: Marin & Melan*, Cindy Klein in *Earth Maiden Arjuna*, Nonon Jakuzure in *Kill la Kill*, and Wendy in *Black Butler: Book of Circus*.



## MICHI

MUSIC

MICHI, the first Anisong artist from Okinawa, aims to share her love for anime with the world. Her personal motto is "Anime is a universal language." She is best known for singing the theme songs for *Rokka, Braves of the Six Flowers*, and *Dagashi Kashi*.



## MINAMI

MUSIC

Minami is a singer/songwriter known for her anime and game theme songs such as the opening of *Kimi ga Nozomu Eien*, opening of *IS <Infinite Stratos>*, and the ending of *MOBILE SUIT GUNDAM AGE*.



## NAO SHIRAHANE (DMYO)

CREATOR

From Korea and now working in Japan, Shirahane is a prominent illustrator and is best known for the games *Trickster* and *DJMAX*. She also illustrated Culture Japan's *Mirai Suenaga*. Recently, she has been working as the main illustrator for mobile app game, *Soccer Spirits*.



## NAOSHI ARAKAWA

CREATOR

Manga artist Naoshi Arakawa made his debut in 2007 and is currently best known for *Your Lie in April*, a series about the lives of young and talented classical musicians. He is currently preparing to launch a brand new series in Monthly Shonen Magazine.



## NOBUYUKI TAKAHASHI

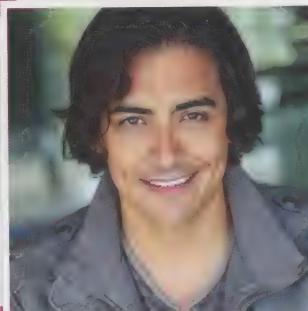
CREATOR

Producer/planner, Nobuyuki Takahashi is active in publication, advertisement, and product development. He incorporates his personal theme, "Boy's Dream" throughout his work. He works primarily with animation, science fiction movies, video games, toys, and digital devices.



## OLDCODEX

Vocalist and painter duo OLDCODEX blends rock, loud, and dance music elements while creating visuals mixed with art to please the eyes. YORKE.'s emotional paintings color the canvas in tune with Ta\_2's hard vocals. Theme songs include *Kuroko's Basketball*, *Free!*, and *GODEATER*.



## ROBBIE DAYMOND

VOICE ACTOR

Robbie Daymond is a Native-American voice artist, actor, and performer based in Los Angeles. Though he is a long-time fan of the genre, he is relatively new to performing in the world of anime. However, after booking his first major role in 2014 as Tuxedo Mask in *Sailor Moon*, he has had the opportunity to act in several other anime series.



## SANDY FOX

VOICE ACTRESS

Sandy Fox is an actress, voice actress, singer, producer and humanitarian. Her credits span both anime and American cartoons. Recognized as one of the cutest voices in the industry, she currently voices Chibi Usa and Black Lady in *Sailor Moon Crystal*, Mina in *Naruto*, and many more.



## SHINGO NATSUME

CREATOR

Natsume directed many anime including *Yojouhan Shinwa Taikei* and the theatrical film *Fullmetal Alchemist: The Sacred Star of Milos*. He is also the director of *Hori-san to Miyamura-kun*, *Space Dandy*, and most recently, *One Punch Man*.



## SHOJI KAWAMORI

CREATOR

If you grew up in the 80's or 90's, it's likely that you've come across the work of acclaimed creator Shoji Kawamori. He is known for designing the original *Transformers* toys, creating and directing the bulk of *Super Dimensional Fortress MACROSS*, and many more.



## SPHERE

MUSIC

Sphere are super girls composed of four voice actresses: Minako Kotobuki, Ayahi Takagaki, Haruka Tomatsu, and Aki Toyosaki.



## STEPHANIE SHEH

VOICE ACTRESS

Stephanie Sheh is best known for voicing Usagi Tsukino in *Sailor Moon*, Hinata in *Naruto*, Orihime in *Bleach*, Eureka in *Eureka Seven*, Yui in *K-on!*, and Mikuru in *Melancholy of Haruhi Suzumiya*.



## T.M. REVOLUTION

MUSIC

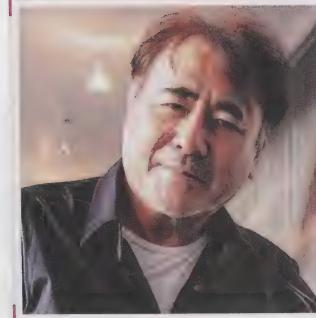
Singer and actor T.M. Revolution is known for contributions of ending and opening themes to many notable anime and game series such as *Rurouni Kenshin* and the *Mobile Suit Gundam SEED* franchise.



## YOKO ISHIDA

MUSIC

Yoko Ishida is known for performing theme songs for anime shows such as *Prétear*, *Ai Yori Aoshi*, the *Ah! My Goddess* series, and the *Strike Witches* series, as well as for having sung for the *Para Para Max CD* series.



## YOSHITAKA AMANO

CREATOR

As a Japanese artist, character designer, and illustrator, Amano also works in the grounds of scenic art and stage costumes. He is well-known for his work as a character designer, title logo designer, and image illustrator for the *Final Fantasy* series.

Full AX 2016 guest list available at [anime-expo.org/guests](http://anime-expo.org/guests).

# COSPLAY SENPAI

Anime Expo advocates the idea that cosplay is for everyone - no matter what size, gender, age, religion, shape, color, or even species. Cosplay is all about having fun! The Cosplay Senpai help support our mission to promote the message that anyone and everyone can cosplay.



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YU MIZOKAMI

# PERFORMERS

## AXDANCE DJS



## DIGITAL INFLUENCERS



## FASHION SHOW



## COMMUNITY STAGE



A collage of images for the Community Stage performances. It includes:

- AYAKASHI**: JULY 2: 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM
- CAPTAIN SAVVY SING ALONG CREW**: JULY 4: 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM
- CHII SAKURABI**: JULY 3: 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM
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- DANCING DOLLS**: JULY 1: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM
- KIRBY'S DREAM BAND**: JULY 1: 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM
- MARYKNOLL KARATE**: JULY 3: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM
- MICHI**: JULY 2: 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM
- SOULLANDSCAPE**: JULY 1: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

To the right of the collage is a cartoon illustration of Kirby.

## LOUNGE 21



A collage of images for the Lounge 21 performances. It includes:

- AYAKASHI**: JULY 1: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM
- CAPTAIN SAVVY SING ALONG CREW**: JULY 2: 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM
- INFINITE COMBO**: JULY 2 & 3: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
- MEGARAN**: JULY 3: 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM
- MIDNIGHT SHINIGAMI**: JULY 1: 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM
- PAMELA VARGAS**: JULY 2: 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM
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- SOULLANDSCAPE**: JULY 3: 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM



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## MEETING ROOM LEVEL



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(VIDEO 1 / VIDEO 2)  
MICROSOFT THEATER  
THE NOVO

# **EXHIBIT HALL**



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EXIT

## DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)

## **DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)**

## DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)

DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)

**12:00 PM\* - 6:00 PM**

10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

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\*Early entry for Premier Fans at 11:00 AM on Day 1

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## ARTIST ALLEY

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### GUEST AUTOGRAPHS

### INDUSTRY AUTOGRAPHS



THE BESM CLUB



### TABLE TOP GAMING



Please see [anime-expo.org/autographs](http://anime-expo.org/autographs) to learn more about the AX autograph policy.

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# ENTERTAINMENT HALL



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# MAIN EVENTS

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)



## AMV COMPETITION 9:00 PM - 12:00 AM @MAIN EVENTS HALL

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DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)

## ANISONG WORLD MATSURI JAPAN SUPER LIVE

7:00 PM - 11:00 PM @MICROSOFT THEATRE



ONE PUNCH MATSURI AT AX  
3:30 PM - 5:30 PM  
@MAIN EVENTS HALL



LOVE LIVE! SUNSHINE!!  
SPECIAL EVENT: NICE TO MEET  
YOU, WE ARE AQOURS!!  
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM  
@MAIN EVENTS HALL



PHANTOM OF THE KILL PRESENTS:  
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SHOWDOWN (18+)  
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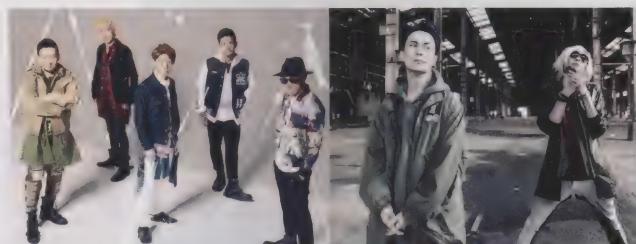
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)

# ANISONG WORLD MATSURI

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## JAPAN BAND BATTLE

2:00 PM - 4:30 PM / 8:00 PM - 10:30 PM @THE NOVO



## ANIME EXPO MASQUERADE

8:00 PM - 11:00 PM

@MAIN EVENTS HALL



## MYTH: LEGENDS OF BURLESQUE & MAGIC

(18+)

10:00 PM - 12:00 AM

@LIVE PROGRAMMING 1 (PETREE HALL)

DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)



**COWBOY BEBOP:  
JAZZ CAT EXPERIENCE**  
**11:00 AM - 12:30 PM**  
**@MAIN EVENTS HALL**



## ANIME EXPO CLOSING CEREMONY

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM @MAIN EVENTS HALL

The final goodbye to Anime Expo 2016! Come say "sayonara" to all the amazing guests, employees, and volunteers of Anime Expo and also enjoy exciting previews for AX 2017! Come light up the room with free LUMICA Light Sticks sponsored by LUMICA!

DAY 1 - 4 (JULY 1 - 4) 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM

## ZERO HUNT ESCAPE PUZZLE HUNT

Visit the SCRAP booth in the Entertainment Hall to join the hunt and help Akane save the world of 2029 by finding the key hidden in 2016. Solve the puzzles and save the future! (see page 43 for more info)

**DAY 1****FRI, JULY 1****SCHEDULE**

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**MAIN EVENTS (FRI, JULY 1)**

# AMV COMPETITION

## 9:00 PM - 12:00 AM

### @MAIN EVENTS HALL

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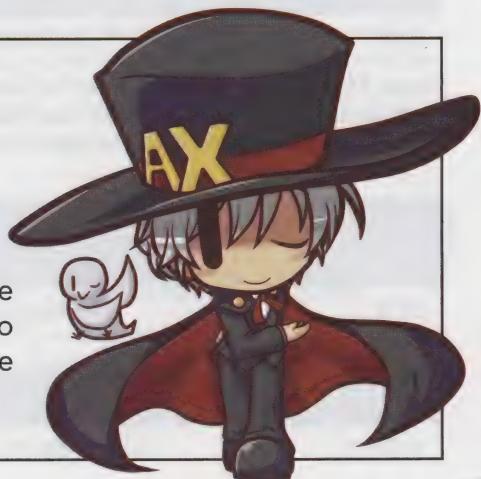
Schedule updated as of June 15, please visit [anime-expo.org/schedule](http://anime-expo.org/schedule) or download the AX 2016 Guidebook app for the latest info.

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4:00 PM - 6:00 PM The Girl Who Leapt Through Time	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM SMEJ Music Block	3:00 PM - 4:30 PM Yakitate!! Japan (1-3)	4:15 PM - 4:45 PM AMV Creator Takeover	4:45 PM - 5:45 PM Absolution Ride Along	3:30 PM - 4:30 PM J-POP Dance Workshop #2			10:30 AM
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# ANIME EXPO 25TH EVENT WELCOME CEREMONY

## 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM @MAIN EVENTS HALL

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**DAY 1****FRI, JULY 1****EVENT DIRECTORY****MAIN EVENTS****Anime Music Video (AMV) Competition**

Main Events                    9:00 PM - 12:00 AM

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**Anime Expo 25th Event Welcome Ceremony**

Main Events                    5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

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**A Deeply Biased History of American Manga Publishing**

LP 3                            2:15 PM - 3:15 PM

Join Dallas Middaugh as he talks about the history of manga in the U.S. Starting with the early days of the 1980s, when manga tried to fit the mold of American comics, on up to the breakneck rise of manga in the '00s. From its freefall decline in 2008, to its rapid return to popularity today, Middaugh will bring his unique perspective to over three decades of U.S. manga. A 16-year veteran of manga publishing, he worked at Viz, founded the Del Rey Manga imprint at Random House, cofounded Seven Seas, and helped start the Kodansha Comics line. He currently works at Crunchyroll.

**Absolution Ride Along**

AMV                            4:45 PM - 5:45 PM

Join TOM and SARA on board the Absolution as we pay tribute to many of our favorite shows, both past and present, with this action packed hour of AMVs. Stay gold!

**Academic Address: The importance of Anime at Film School: Tales from the USC Classroom**

LP 4                            6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

**Ace Attorney (1-3)**

VIDEO 2                            1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

**AKAME Ga KILL! (1-3)**

VIDEO 3                            2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

**AMV Creator Takeover**

AMV                            4:15 PM - 4:45 PM

Here's your chance to meet the creators of some of your favorite AMVs as several revered creators present their works.

**AMV Showcase**AMV                            7:15 PM - 8:00 PM  
10:00 AM - 11:15 AM

We've reached into our grab-bag and come up with a choice selection of AMV awesomeness from all over the world, some of which might never have been seen at AX before!

**Anime Expo 2006 AMV Contest Replay**

AMV                            11:30 AM - 2:00 PM

Ever wonder what AMVs were popular back in 2006? Want to enjoy a bit of nostalgia? Come join us as we take a 10-year trip to the past to re-enact the AX2006 AMV Competition, complete with applause metered judging!

**Anime Expo LCS Roast of Soap (18+)**

WS 1                            10:30 PM - 11:30 PM

The second annual Anime Expo Late Comedy Show Roast is back to 'honor' 2015's winner, Soap. A panel of peers and past performers have come together to properly destroy each other in the spirit of bad taste and fellowship, hosted by 2014 winner Caitlin Macatee.

**Anime News Network Q&A**

WS 1                            7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Meet the editors of the internet's most-read English-language anime and manga news site, Anime News Network! Find out about exciting new features at the site, ask a couple questions and win some prizes!

## Aniplex of America Industry Panel

LP 1

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

What does *Sword Art Online II*, *DURARARA!!x2*, *Fate/stay night [Unlimited Blade Works]*, *KIZUMONOGATARI*, *KILL la KILL* and *Madoka Magica* all have in common? You guessed it. Those are just some of the many hit titles that Aniplex of America has brought to the fans in North America. Join us as we discuss what awesome things we have coming down the pipeline! From fan-favorite releases, exciting news and all of our exclusive events we're hosting at this year's AX. We even have cool prizes that are just waiting to go home with you. Come have fun with us and learn why so many fans agree that, "It's only the best with Aniplex!"

## Assassination Classroom (1-3)

VIDEO 3

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

## Attack on Titan Anthology

LP 3

1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Meet some of the creative minds behind this unprecedented collaboration between *Attack on Titan* creator Hajime Isayama and an all-star list of the best Western comics artists and writers! We'll reveal never-before-seen art from the book and give away exclusive trading cards and other goodies.

## AV Dealer's Choice

VIDEO 4

2:00 AM - 4:00 AM

## Awesomecore AMVs

AMV

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

There are some AMVs that are just plain bad, and then there are AMVs that are so stupendously bad they fall through the floor and land in the core of awesome! Come join the fun or ELSE we'll give you a prize! (You DON'T want a prize.)

## AXDance Nights (Ages 16+)

AXDance

8:00 PM - 10:30 PM

## AXDance Nights (Ages 18+)

AXDance

10:30 PM - 2:00 AM

18+ ONLY - Please bring valid identification that confirms date of birth. Badge and ID are required to gain access to the AX Dance Area.

## Ayakashi

Lounge 21

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Blending the musical backgrounds of international members, AYAKASHI brings a fresh and innovative form of Japanese music through melodic compositions and energetic performances. Featuring soaring vocals from Japan, a beautiful combination of classical piano, blazing guitar solos and groovy rhythms, AYAKASHI channels the essence of classic J-pop and J-rock in a musical interpretation that is sure to entertain.

## Celebrating 100 Years of Japanese Animation Presented by AJA

Main Events

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Japanese animation will be celebrating its 100th anniversary in 2017. As we approach this milestone, the Association of Japanese Animations (AJA) will be starting a project that will set the foundation to further support the creation of anime for the next 100 years.

## Colopl Rune Story: Confessions of a Game Developer

LP 2

3:45 PM - 4:45 PM

Meet the development team of Colopl Rune Story - the western edition of Shiro Neko Project (aka White Cat Project)! Find out what it's like to localize Japan's No. 1 mobile action JRPG and bring it to the west. We'll also reveal epic fails and what we learned along the way. Have you ever wondered, "Why'd they change that?!" Ponder no more, we discuss it all. Oh and did we mention swag? We've got lots of swag, especially for Rune Story Cosplayers (yes, we're talking to you).

## Contestant Warm-ups

Karaoke Events

2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

## Cosplay & Convention Careers w/ Aicosu

WS 2

4:45 PM - 5:45 PM

Are you considering a job related to cosplay and conventions? Come and talk to cosplayers in diverse fields (wardrobe assistant, social media, voice acting) to talk about how to break into the work force with your special skills, what the industry is like, how to make a resume and why your skills are valuable!

## Cosplay Deviants presents A Night in 7th Heaven

Lounge 21

10:00 PM - 1:30 AM

Join us in Lounge 21 and live your final fantasy as Cosplay Deviants returns to host the hottest adults only party at Anime Expo®! With music all night by DO NOT FEED THE DJ and entertainment by the girls of CosplayDeviants.com this is one party you cannot miss!

## Crunchyroll Ace Attorney Screening Event

VIDEO 2

6:30 PM - 7:45 PM

Get ready to shout "Objection!" Join rookie attorney Naruhodo Ryuichi (Phoenix Wright) and his assistant Mayoi (Maya) as they seek the truth and defend their clients! With limited evidence and logic as his only weapon, can Naruhodo turn the case around when all the odds are stacked against him? Be sure to arrive early for an introduction by game producer and anime script supervisor Motohide Eshiro and the chance to win some awesome prizes!

## Crunchyroll Industry Panel

LP 1

5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Hear about all the latest and greatest anime & manga coming out of Crunchyroll straight from the source. Prizes given out during panel!

## Dance with The Survey Corps Dance Crew

WS 2

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

The Survey Corps Dance Crew is dedicated to bringing anime and comics to life through dance, and now you can join in too! Learn to dance with our Sasha and Hanji, and have a meet and greet with the members of the Corps as well.

## Danganronpa: The Animation (1-3)

VIDEO 3

8:00:00 PM - 9:30 PM

## Dark Horse Manga

LP 2

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Dark Horse is a well-known indie comics company, but also the second-oldest manga publisher in North America since 1988! Our Japanese book line includes classics and contemporary titles alike, such as Hatsune Miku, Fire Emblem, Danganronpa, Neon Genesis Evangelion, Fate/Zero, Oh My Goddess!, Psycho-Pass, Vampire Hunter D, Drifters, Berserk and Oreimo: Kuroneko. We'll be showing previews of our upcoming manga as well as Japanese art books and novels. Please come by our panel with your questions, and for a chance to win special giveaway items!

## Death Parade (1-3)

VIDEO 2

7:45 PM - 9:15 PM

## Durarara!!x2 (1-3)

VIDEO 1

9:30 PM - 11:00 PM

## eGaming Tournament Finals

Community Stage

12:00 PM - 3:00 PM

## Erased English Dub Premiere & Panel

LP 3

7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

One of 2016's most talked about shows, *ERASED*, is getting an English dub and Aniplex of America will be giving you an exclusive first-look at Anime Expo 2016. From the director of the *Sword Art Online* series, Tomohiko Ito, and the character designer of *Blue Exorcist*, Keigo Sasaki, the psychological thriller *ERASED* has been praised by critics as a must-watch for any anime fan! Whether you've seen the show already or are just hearing about it for the first time, come check out the world premiere of the English dub at this special screening!

## Everyone Starts Somewhere: Cosplay at Any Level

WS 1

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

When it comes to cosplay, there are so many different ways to approach it and sometimes that can be daunting. A panel of veteran cosplayers will discuss the different methods, from closet cosplay, thrift store alterations, crafting everything yourself, commissioning, and what budgeting a costume really means. After all, everyone starts somewhere.

## FAKKU Presents: Hentai Worth Watching (18+)

LP 1

10:00 PM - 12:00 AM

Join FAKKU as they announce their new manga releases and discuss their recent transition into publishing.

## FAKKU Presents: Saitom Q&A (18+)

WP 1

8:45 PM - 10:15 PM

Join best selling hentai manga artist Saitom in a one-of-a-kind question and answer panel hosted by FAKKU. Saitom will be joined by other members of his doujin circle, Neko Maru Shoten, who together will share stories and experiences from their time in the industry and talk about releasing their books in English.

## Fruits Basket (1-3)

VIDEO 4

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

## Good Smile Company Industry Panel

LP 1

7:45 PM - 9:45 PM

Join Good Smile Company as they discuss the latest coming from the wonderful world of figures!

## Gundam Model Building for Adults (18+)

WP 2

9:30 PM - 11:30 PM

Gunpla model building for the adults in all of us, presented using mature adult language. Not very kid-friendly, but VERY adult friendly. This is a entertaining panel on the how to improve your gunpla skills while not putting you to sleep. You'll laugh, you'll cry, you'll want to shower afterwards. And you will make life long friends with people you meet at this panel!

## Gundam, Mobile Suit UC (Unicorn) (1-2)

VIDEO 2

10:45 PM - 12:45 AM

## Hamatora (1-3)

VIDEO 4

6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

## Himouto! Umaru-chan (1-3)

VIDEO 3

5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

## Hundred (1-3)

VIDEO 1

5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

## Inside the Voice Actors' Studio I

LP 3

5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

Interested in the voice-acting profession? Come get first-hand advice and experience from Bang Zoom! Professionals in an intimate setting! Bang Zoom! Entertainment is an award-winning full-service audio post and creative production company.

## "In This Corner of the World" Panel

WS 1

6:15 PM - 7:15 PM

## JoJo's Bizarre Adventure Panel

LP 1

6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Join us for the most epic JoJo's Bizarre Adventure Panel panel ever! Get the inside scoop from the editors from Japan as well as loads of surprises including special guests and announcements plus awesome prizes. This is not one to be missed!

## JoJo's Bizarre Fan Panel With Kira Buckland

WS 1

1:15 PM - 2:15 PM

A fan panel celebrating Hirohiko Araki's masterwork JoJo's Bizarre Adventure. Welcome to fans or people who are just interested in the series. Events include a trivia game with special prizes, a posing contest, and open discussion of the series by fans for fans! Featuring prolific voice actress and rabid JoJo fan Kira Buckland.

## Joker Game (1-3)

VIDEO 2

9:15 PM - 10:45 PM

## J-POP Dance Workshop

AXDance

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Learn a fun J-POP dance from one of our ANXiDOLS. All ages are welcome!

## K-ON! (1-3)

VIDEO 1

12:30 PM - 2:00 PM

## Karaoke Contest Finals

Karaoke Events

10:00 PM - 11:00 PM

## Karaoke Contest Preliminaries

Karaoke Events

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

## Karaoke Contest Semifinals

Karaoke Events

9:00 PM - 10:00 PM

## Kirby's Dream Band

Community Stage

8:00 PM - 9:00 PM

## K-POP Dance Workshop #1

AXDance

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Learn a fun K-POP dance from one of our ANXiDOLS. All ages are welcome!

## Late Comedy Show Workshop

WS 2

12:45 PM - 2:15 PM

Do you think you're funny? Or do you just want a laugh? Either way you're bound to have fun at the Late Comedy Show: Tryouts! Come on in to contend for a spot in the finals or simply relax with friends.

## Late Comedy Showdown Tryouts (18+)

LP 2

9:00 PM - 12:00 AM

## MangaGamer: The Now & Future of Visual Novels (18+)

LP 3

10:45 PM - 11:45 PM

Visual novels are games with a fascinating story and feature interaction with attractive anime characters. We will showcase the latest and upcoming visual novel releases from MangaGamer.com.

## Maria the Virgin Witch (1-3)

VIDEO 2

12:45 AM - 2:15 AM

## Mega64 Live Love Laugh La La La Whatever Anime Panel

LP 2

6:15 PM - 7:15 PM

Mega64 is back again for their favorite panel every year. Come see their array of new and unseen videos, ask questions, and experience what true, important cosplay should really look like.

## Mekaku City Actors (1-3)

VIDEO 4

4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

## Midnight Shinigami

Lounge 21

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

In 2010, six people met and combined their passion for music and anime, giving creative birth to the band called Midnight Shinigami (Gods of Death). From soft ballads to hard-driving metal, they're sure to have something in their repertoire that'll make anyone drop dead in pure aural bliss.

## Miles Jai Digital Influencer Panel

WS 2

8:15 PM - 9:15 PM

## Mizokami & I: Creating the World of Yomawari From Scratch

LP 3

9:30 PM - 10:30 PM

Every video game starts with a bright idea and Yomawari is no different. Mizokami, the creator of Nippon Ichi Software's Yomawari: Night Alone, started the conversation with a contest and she happened to win. But how do you develop an entire survival horror game out of thin air? Mizokami discusses how her idea came about and how her idea became a reality.

## Mushi-shi (1-3)

VIDEO 4

9:00 PM - 10:30 PM

## MY love Story!! (1-3)

VIDEO 4

12:00 PM - 1:30 PM

## Naruto Shippuden (451 - 453)

VIDEO 2

2:30 PM - 4:00 PM

## NISA Upcoming Releases & Community!

LP 2

2:30 PM - 3:30 PM

What are the Prinnies at NIS America up to this time!? If you wanna find out, come and join the Prinny Squad for an exciting panel of fun and games and awesome prizes! Also, we are stoked to bring everyone some news for our upcoming game releases. We may even have some awesome new announcements! So bring your game on, because this will be one helluva panel!

## One Man, One Universe: Zun and the Creation of the Touhou Universe

LP 3

8:15 PM - 9:15 PM

Jun'ya Ota, also known as ZUN, has created an entire universe... by himself. ZUN is quite the renaissance man, creating a world known as Touhou Project, through his company, Team Shanghai Alice, a Japanese doujin game developer specializing in the shoot 'em up genre. So how does one man manage to be a general producer, game designer, character designer, and a music/sound producer? For the first time ever, ZUN himself will discuss how his Touhou Project was created and how it has evolved through the years.

## Open Mic Karaoke

Karaoke Events

11:00 PM - 2:00 AM

## Parasyte (1-3) (18+)

VIDEO 1

12:15 AM - 1:45 AM

## Phoenix Ash

Lounge 21

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Phoenix Ash is America's own J-Rock band. On their major Japan debut 'Cross the Blue', infectious melody & energetic style meld JP & US rock.

## Puella Magi Madoka Magica (1-3)

VIDEO 3

9:30 PM - 11:00 PM

## Read-along with MONOGATARI and Attack on Titan

LP 3

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Join the voice actor cast of the MONOGATARI and Attack on Titan audio books as they read through chapters of the recently released books. Then hear from the cast as they discuss the process and memories of working within this new growing medium.

## Right Stuf Anime & Nozomi Entertainment Industry Panel

LP 4 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Come join the fun at Right Stuf Anime and Nozomi Entertainment's industry panel! Find out about the latest Right Stuf store exclusives, upcoming Gundam releases, and new Nozomi Entertainment announcements! Plus, enter to win a gift card to RightStufAnime.com!

## Samurai Flamenco (1-3)

VIDEO 4 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM

## Seven Seas Entertainment

LP 4 4:45 PM - 5:45 PM

Come join the Seven Seas crew as they share a look at their current and upcoming releases, including brand new manga, games, and some exciting collaborations!

## SMEJ Music Block

VIDEO 3 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

## SouLandscape

Community Stage 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

SouLandscape is a Japanese Electro World Music Duo. At their live performances, full of both Original and Anime Songs, EDM, World Music, and Theatrical Performances, Soul will surround you with its fantastical imaginary world! Stay tuned! Website: [www.soulandscape.com/](http://www.soulandscape.com/)

## Special Screening

VIDEO 1 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM

## Taiko Demo & Workshop

WS 1 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM

## Nobuyuki Takahashi Guest Panel

LP 1 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

## TERRAFORMARS (18+)

VIDEO 1 11:00 PM - 12:15 AM

## The AMV Gameshow

AMV 2:15 PM - 4:00 PM

Think you know AMVs? Even if you don't, everybody's got a shot in this ultimate game of AMV trivia filled with chances to win awesome prizes and the glory of AMV Game-show Champion. You do NOT want to miss this.

## The Asterisk War 2 (1-3)

VIDEO 3 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM

## The Girl Who Leapt Through Time

VIDEO 2 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

## Titmouse Animation

LP 4 2:15 PM - 3:15 PM

Titmouse (Venture Bros., Metalocalypse, Superjail, Motorcity, Black Dynamite), will reveal what's going on behind the scenes at the studio and what they have in store for the coming year!

## Toonami Industry Panel

LP 2 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Toonami is the iconic programming block that helped introduce anime and many action cartoons to generations of fans. Join the creators of Toonami for a look at what's been happening and what's to come!

## Twin Star Exorcists (1-3)

VIDEO 1 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

## VIZ Media Panel

Main Events 1:30 PM - 2:45 PM

Join the VIZ Media crew at our 30th anniversary celebration! We'll talk about some of your favorite titles like NARUTO, ONE-PUNCH MAN, TOKYO GHOUL and SAILOR MOON. We'll also be making announcements, showing off exclusive first looks at new titles, giving away prizes and having a grand old time. There might even be jokes!

## Wagnaria!!3 (1-3)

VIDEO 1 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

## What's New from Yen Press

LP 4

1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

The Yen Press crew – including Publishing Director Kurt Hassler and Editor-In-Chief JuYoun Lee – unveil exciting new and upcoming projects and take questions from the audience. And of course, the swag. We mustn't forget the swag!

## Words, Scripts, Implications: Creating Meaning in Anime and Manga

LP 4

7:45 PM - 8:45 PM

## Yakitate!! Japan (1-3)

VIDEO 4

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

## Yamada-kun and the Seven Witches (1-3)

VIDEO 4

10:30 PM - 12:00 AM

## Yaoi 101 (18+)

LP 4

9:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Do you know what yaoi is? What about bara? What's the difference between those terms and other terms like shounen-ai, M/M, and slash? Who's allowed to read yaoi? Where can you get your hands on some of your very own? Find out the answers to all these questions and more in our Yaoi 101 panel! Older teens and up only, please.

## YaoiCon & BishounenCon (18+)

LP 4

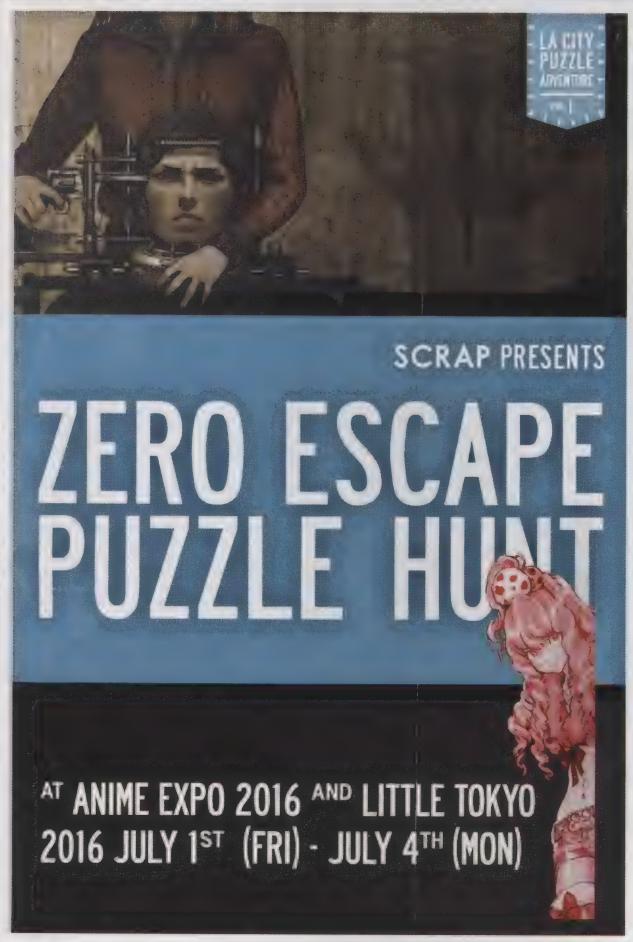
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Are you ready for YaoiCon? We are! Learn about this one-of-a-kind yaoi-focused convention in the San Francisco Bay Area each autumn, including hotel badge pricing, hotel information, our Guest of Honor Hinako Takanaga, and more! We're also excited to introduce BishounenCon, YaoiCon's sister convention located on the East Coast.



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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### *Get the Game Kit!*

- at ANIME EXPO**
- SCRAP Booth (Entertainment Hall)
  - Aksys Games Booth #2805 (Exhibitor Hall)
  - Anime Jungle Booth #2614 (Exhibitor Hall)

- at LITTLE TOKYO**
- Real Escape Game LA
  - Anime Jungle
  - Little Tokyo Koban and Visitor's Center

**PLAY HOURS :** 12pm – 8pm

**PLAY AREA :** Anime Expo and Little Tokyo

### **HOW TO GO TO LITTLE TOKYO?**

Use AX Shuttle Bus Route 2 to get to Little Tokyo

### **WHAT ARE THE RAFFLE PRIZES?**

Zero Time Dilemma and more!



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SCRAP invented Real Escape Game in 2007 and is the pioneer of live escape entertainment. In 2015, its Attack on Titan collaboration, "Escape from the Walled City," was a smash hit in Los Angeles, San Francisco, and New York during its world tour. SCRAP's permanent escape room in LA, located in Little Tokyo, is the only place where you can experience the world of the Zero Escape series in real life with "Real Zero Escape: Trust on Trial." Since its debut in April 2016, it has become a hot topic among Zero Escape fans all across the world.

DAY 2

SAT, JULY 2

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11:30 AM		11:30 AM - 12:30 PM Sentai Filmworks Industry Panel	11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Weekly Shonen Jump Presents Kazue Kato	11:45 AM - 12:45 PM OKAYADO Live Drawing & Monster Museum QA Panel	12:00 PM - 1:00 PM HappiLeeErin Digital Influencer Panel	11:45 AM - 1:15 PM Fit Like a Glove: A Guide to Garment Fitting and Pattern Alterations	11:15 AM - 1:15 PM How To Use Pro Manga Tools
12:00 PM			12:15 PM - 1:15 PM Naoshi Arakawa Guest Panel	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM "Sound! Euphonium" Panel with Voice Actress Chika Anzai	1:15 PM - 2:15 PM Vertical Manga Panel	1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Vampire Hunter D: The Series	11:30 AM - 1:00 PM Attack on Titan: Junior High (1-3)
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MAIN EVENTS (SAT, JULY 2)

# ANISONG WORLD MATSURI

7:00 PM - 11:00 PM  
@MICROSOFT THEATRE



ANISONG WORLD MATSURI: JAPAN SUPER LIVE

Schedule updated as of June 15, please visit [anime-expo.org/schedule](http://anime-expo.org/schedule)  
or download the AX 2016 Guidebook app for the latest info.

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## MAIN EVENTS (SAT, JULY 2)



## ONE PUNCH MAN MATSURI AT AX

3:30 PM - 5:30 PM  
@MAIN EVENTS HALL

**LOVE LIVE! SUNSHINE!!  
SPECIAL EVENT: NICE TO  
MEET YOU, WE ARE AQOURS!!  
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM  
@MAIN EVENTS HALL**



**PHANTOM OF THE KILL  
PRESENTS:  
DEMPAGUMI.INC LIVE**  
7:30 PM - 9:00 PM  
@MAIN EVENTS HALL



**LATE COMEDY  
SHOWDOWN (18+)**  
10:30 PM - 12:30 AM  
@MAIN EVENTS HALL

**DAY2****SAT, JULY 2****EVENT DIRECTORY****MAIN EVENTS****Anisong World Matsuri: Japan Super Live**Concerts                   **7:00 PM - 11:00 PM**

For one night only, attendees will get the chance to see multiple anime music artists and groups in one show. With JAM Project, T.M. Revolution, SPHERE, Yoko Ishida, Minami, Eir Aoi, and Luna Haruna, this star-studded concert is sure to be a once in a lifetime opportunity!

**Late Comedy Showdown (18+)**Main Events                   **10:30 PM - 12:30 AM**

All of the comedians have been chosen, now let the laughs begin! It's now time for an all out battle of jokes as each finalist fights for the crown of top comedian at the finals for Late Comedy Showdown.

**Love Live! Sunshine!! Special Event: Nice to meet you, we are Aqours!!**Main Events                   **11:00 AM - 1:00 PM**

Welcome "Love Live! Sunshine!!" to America as they host their very first joint event outside of Japan! This event will include an exciting talk show with several of the school idol group members: Aqours. In addition, there will also be a special lottery giveaway and more!

**50 Years of Anime in America, 50 Years of American Anime Fans**LP 4                           **6:45 PM - 7:45 PM****50% OFF: Mankind's Biggest Mistake**LP 4                           **8:00 PM - 9:00 PM**

Come talk to one of the creators of 50% OFF and see why people around the internet are calling this abridged series "videos you can watch". Also come watch the newest episode before it's uploaded online!

**A Journey through 25 years of AMVs**AMV                           **10:15 PM - 12:00 AM**

Since AX is celebrating its 25th year, it's only appropriate that we take a journey through 25 years of AMVs one year at a time. Come watch some of the best AMVs the last 25 years have to offer and see how they evolved since the early 90s to now.

**One Punch Matsuri at AX**Main Events                   **3:30 PM - 5:30 PM**

The highly anticipated "One Punch Man" is finally here! As the best-selling manga, it has gathered lots of attention from fans all over the world and with the anime becoming a crowd favorite, this is definitely an amazing experience you won't want to miss. This event will consist of an engaging talk show with special guests: animation director Shingo Natsume and Saitama voice actor Makoto Furukawa, live performance from JAM Project, and more!

**Phantom of the Kill Presents: Dempagumi.inc LIVE**Main Events                   **7:30 PM - 9:00 PM**

Come join us for a spectacular show from Fuji&gumi Games's free to play tactical RPG, Phantom of the Kill! We are delighted to present the premiere screening of our concept Anime, *Phantom of the Kill: Zero's Rebellion* to our western audiences. After the screening, we'll have a special Q&A time with the Executive Producer Jun Imaizumi and Art Director Masato Kimura, with special guests, idol group Dempagumi.inc! Of course, it wouldn't be the same without a special live performance from Dempagumi.inc to finish out the event! Looking forward to seeing you there! Brought to you by gumi Inc.

**AMV 101**AMV                           **11:00 AM - 12:00 PM**

Want to make an AMV? Looking for some additional tips? We can help! Join us as we explore the arts of AMV creation. Make sure to bring lots of questions!

**AMV Chef**AMV                           **12:45 PM - 3:45 PM**

Come join in the excitement as we pitch two veteran editors against each other to cook up an entire AMV in real time using predetermined sources, including one SECRET source that will be revealed moments before beginning. While our chefs sweat it out, we'll have an assortment of audience participation AMV games with prizes to keep you entertained. At the end, we'll show you each chef's brand new AMVs of which only one will be declared the winner!

## AMV Creator Takeover

AMV 5:15 PM - 5:45 PM

Here's your chance to meet the creators of some of your favorite AMVs as several revered creators present their works.

## AMV Showcase

AMV 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM

We've reached into our grab-bag and come up with a choice selection of AMV awesomeness from all over the world, some of which might never have been seen at AX before!

## Anime According to AMVs

AMV 5:45 PM - 6:45 PM

You can always tell what an Anime is about by watching an AMV of it, right? Are you SURE? Come help us put this theory to the ultimate test as we pick random people from the audience to help explain the plot of several popular shows, as determined according to AMVs!

## Anime Conji 2016 AMV Contest

AMV 7:30 PM - 10:00 PM

Anime Conji may have taken a break this year but its epic AMV Contest did not! Come join in and vote for the best of the absolute best AMVs you've ever seen.

## Anime Expo's Cosplay Chess!!

WS 2 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Now Cosplay Chess is a game in which the cosplayers are used as the pieces for an EPIC chess match controlled by their MIGHTY KINGS!! The game itself is played out just like a normal chess match but the twist is that the pieces WILL BE YOU! Always wanted to be a pawn, this is your moment pawn-san. Come and watch as we celebrate our 11th year at Anime Expo!!!

## Assassination Classroom Season 2 (1-3)

VIDEO 2 11:00 PM - 12:30 AM

## Attack on Titan: Junior High (1-3)

VIDEO 1 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

## AV Dealer's Choice

VIDEO 1 6:00 AM - 8:00 AM  
8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

## AXDance Nights (Ages 16+)

AXDance 7:30 PM - 10:30 PM

## AXDance Nights (Ages 18+)

AXDance 10:30 PM - 2:00 AM

18+ ONLY - Please bring valid identification that confirms date of birth. Badge and ID are required to gain access to the AX Dance Area.

## Ayakashi

Community Stage 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Blending the musical backgrounds of international members, AYAKASHI brings a fresh and innovative form of Japanese music through melodic compositions and energetic performances. Featuring soaring vocals from Japan, a beautiful combination of classical piano, blazing guitar solos and groovy rhythms, AYAKASHI channels the essence of classic J-pop and J-rock in a musical interpretation that is sure to entertain.

## Baccano! (1-3)

VIDEO 4 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

## Bang Zoom! Audio Engineering Panel

WS 1 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Want to be an audio engineer? Ever wonder about the technical side of dubbing anime? Let the Pros at Bang Zoom! show you some of the ropes of the audio post-production industry in an intimate and interactive setting!

## Beyond the Boundary (1-3)

VIDEO 1 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

## Brotherhood: Final Fantasy XV (1-2)

VIDEO 2 1:45 PM - 2:45 PM

## Bungo Stray Dogs (1-3) (18+)

VIDEO 2 2:00 AM - 3:30 AM

## Bushiroad Industry Panel

WS 1 5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Get the latest news on upcoming releases for Bushiroad's range of trading card games and find out more about our exciting new TCG, "Luck and Logic"!!! Be introduced to our first stand-alone card game "Ascendants of Aetheros" and receive updates on our sanctioned tournaments and events!!

## Captain Savvy Singalong Crew

Lounge 21

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Captain's Savvy Singalong Crew is a professional musical act that prides itself on celebrating the diverse aspects of otaku and nerd pop culture. The group uses music and comedy as a way to share their love for all things geek-chic while engaging their fans and audience. All performances are accompanied by lyrical presentations in order to encourage fans to sing along. Originating in Southern California, the band started as a passion project from lead vocalist Samuel "Captain" Khosravi. After a successful debut at Anime Conji in 2013, the band started attracting various musicians to their line up including Christion McGowan, Serj Tachyon, Rin Moeslie, Becky Booth, & Jeremy Bergstrom. CSSC has now been featured at several conventions and local specialized events.

## Case Closed (1-3)

VIDEO 4

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

## Comics and Comics - Anime Edition (18+)

WS 2

9:00 PM - 10:45 PM

Since 2008, Comics and Comics has been traveling the country delivering the geekiest stand-up comedy show in the multiverse. Featuring Tom Franck, Tim Powers, Ed Greer and Ron Swallow, you will not find comedians who have traveled further down the rabbit hole of fandom. From *Attack on Titan* to *Kill La Kill*, From *Totoro* to *Gatchaman* from *Akira* to *Dragon Ball Z*, rest assured all your anime bases will be covered!

## Cosplay and Photography: Etiquette, Rules, and Rights

WS 2

4:15 PM - 5:15 PM

This panel is ideal for those who are interested in learning about the ins-and-outs of cosplay as it relates to photography. When and where photos can be taken, how to approach a photoshoot politely and professionally, and who has legal rights to a photo will all be discussed, and more !

## Cosplay Deviants Q&A (18+)

WS 2

11:00 PM - 12:00 AM

Join the models and staff of Cosplay Deviants for an open question and answer session and learn about how we undress the art of playing dress up.

## Cosplay Music Videos (CMVs)

AMV

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Come and take a look into the world of Cosplay Music Videos as we present some of the clever and creative ways cosplaying is featured to music.

## Cowboy Bebop (1-3)

VIDEO 4

10:30 PM - 12:00 AM

## Crunchyroll Presents: Berserk Episode #1 Premiere with Reo Kurosu

VIDEO 1

3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Don't miss this exciting exclusive premiere of the eagerly-anticipated summer anime, *Berserk*! Be the first to see the long-awaited continuation of this classic, dark-fantasy action series--the fantastic, violent return of Guts and his trials and tribulations as he seeks his revenge against Griffith. Think this premiere can't get more exciting? Reo Kurosu, one of the producers, will be joining us for this special screening! There will be a special Q&A afterwards, along with a chance to win an exclusive *Berserk* poster, so don't miss out!

## Crunchyroll Shorts Marathon

VIDEO 2

12:15 PM - 1:30 PM

Want to watch a whole anime in an afternoon or discover some of the fun shorts available on Crunchyroll? Check out some of the Crunchyroll Team's favorite short anime series, as we play the first episodes of some of our best anime titles that can be viewed in their entirety in the same amount of time it would take you to walk across the Exhibition Hall.

## Crunchyroll Summer Season Premieres

VIDEO 1

5:15 PM - 6:30 PM

With so many new series starting this summer, it's hard to know what to choose from. Crunchyroll has you covered and selected a few new summer shows to share with you before the rest of the world gets to see them.

## Culture Japan with Danny Choo

LP 4

10:15 PM - 11:45 PM

## Dagashi Kashi (1-3)

VIDEO 2

4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

## Digital Influencer Roundtable

LP 2

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

## eGaming Tournament Finals

Community Stage

6:15 PM - 9:15 PM

## Examining and Questioning Japan's Place in the World

LP 4

5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

## FAKKU Industry Panel (18+)

LP 2 10:30 PM - 12:00 AM

Join FAKKU for their 5th year at Anime Expo as they share and provide commentary on select hentai titles, often yielding hilarious results. The panelists share stories of how they discovered hentai and what kept them coming back for more.

## FAKKU Presents: NaPaTa Q&A (18+)

LP 2 9:00 PM - 10:15 PM

Join best selling hentai manga artist NaPaTa in a one-of-a-kind question and answer panel hosted by FAKKU. NaPaTa is one of the best selling hentai artists in the world, his first two books Love-Ridden and Pandemonium have topped Japanese best seller lists since their release. Together with FAKKU, NaPaTa will share stories and experiences from their time in the industry and talk about releasing their books in English.

## Fashion Show

LP 1 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Japan is home to some of the most cutting-edge fashion trends in the world. Join us at this year's Anime Expo Fashion show featuring KOMACHI 2266531 Dark Lolita, Bunny & Black, and more. Each of these wonderful brands will be showcasing some of their best work and after, head over to the Exhibit hall and shop the brands!

## Fit Like a Glove: A Guide to Garment Fitting and Pattern Alterations

WS 1 11:45 AM - 1:15 PM

Creating a flattering and well-fitting garment is a challenge for all seamstresses. The goal is to mold a two-dimensional paper pattern to a unique three-dimensional body without wrinkles, stress-lines, or pickers in the fabric. Though this panel, J.Hart will address various common fitting challenges, including sloped shoulders, ample busts, and flat derrieres. With hundreds of diagrams, you will learn how to alter a muslin, or toile, for a perfect fit and how to transfer these alterations to the paper pattern. Basic sewing knowledge is recommended for this panel.

## Funimation Peep Show (18+)

LP 3 9:00 PM - 11:00 PM

Guaranteed to be a good time that's oh so NSFW. Watch jiggly clips and trailers from some of the hottest Funimation titles. Don't forget to bring tissues, you know, for the nose bleeds. Audience participation encouraged by tweeting using the hashtag #FunimationPeepShow. You could even win some naughty prizes. (18+, Bring your IDs!)

## GANGSTA (1-3) (18+)

VIDEO 1 2:15 AM - 3:45 AM

## Gargantia of the Verdurous Planet (1-3)

VIDEO 3 9:30 PM - 11:00 PM

## Ghost in the Shell: Arise

VIDEO 1 9:15 PM - 11:15 PM

## HappiLeeErin Digital Influencer Panel

LP 4 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

## Hentai Trends in Japan, presented by Project-H (18+)

LP 4 9:15 PM - 10:15 PM

## How To Use Pro Manga Tools

WS 2 11:15 AM - 1:15 PM

Japanese-American artists, Alisa and Chihiro from Copic Markers/Imagination International Inc. and creators of the series iiiAcademy How-to Manga will teach how manga pages are created with I-C Japanese manga drawing tools. Knowing how to use the same tools the pros in Japan work with will help your manga pages come alive.

## HUNTER x HUNTER

VIDEO 1 8:00 PM - 9:15 PM

## Indivisible & Skullgirls - A Discussion with Lab Zero Games

LP 2 5:45 PM - 7:15 PM

Hear the latest from Lab Zero Games on their new action/RPG, Indivisible, as well as the future of Skullgirls! After discussing both, the development team will open up for another one of their refreshingly honest Q&A sessions.

## Infinite Combo

Lounge 21 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Infinite Combo is a collective of San Diego-based musicians, whose fusion of jazz & funk meets the familiar melodies of classic video games. Formed in 2015 by trombonist Chet Brown, Infinite Combo is coming at you hard-hitting grooves and moving melodies from your favorite video games. We've got favorites from Mega Man, Super Mario, Zelda, Castlevania, and more!

## Inside the Voice Actors' Studio II

LP 3 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

Interested in the voice-acting profession? Come get first-hand advice and experience from Bang Zoom! Professionals in an intimate setting! Bang Zoom! Entertainment is an award-winning full-service audio post and creative production company.

## JAST USA Visual Novel Panel (18+)

LP 3 11:15 PM - 12:15 AM

For 20 years now, J-List and JAST USA have provided the best licensed visual novels and "eroge" in English, and this year we've got great announcements lined up for everyone. Come this year for great new game announcements, an update on the current titles we're working on and more. Everyone will get a free gift prepared just for this event. Special guest appearance by Jessica Nigri, the English voice of Super Sonico. Line up early! Also, the panel is 18+ so make sure you bring your ID.

## J-POP Battles Finals

AXDance 2:00 PM - 2:00 PM

The J-POP Battles are a Japanese Pop "dance-cover" event in which we determine the winner for the best dance-cover routine and crown this year's Anime Expo J-POP Battle Champions.

## Karaoke En Español!

Karaoke Events 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

## Karaoke Gong Show!

Karaoke Events 11:00 PM - 1:00 AM

## KILL la KILL (1-3)

VIDEO 3 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

## KIZNAIVER (1-3)

VIDEO 2 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

## Kodansha Comics Panel

LP 4 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM

The publisher of *Attack on Titan*, *Sailor Moon*, *Fairy Tail*, *Noragami*, and many more debut their new publishing plans for 2016 and beyond! Come speak with some of the editors, ask your questions, and get free books, posters, art cards, and more!

## KOINU

Lounge 21 12:00 AM - 1:30 AM

DJ Set

## K-POP Battles Semi-Finals

AXDance 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

AXDance's 3rd year in a row hosting the K-POP Battles. The K-POP Battles is a "dance-cover" competition held live that is themed around Korean Popular Music. Entries dress up like their favorite artist and or groups and recreate their music videos in front of a live crowd.

## Magi: The Labyrinth of Magic (1-3)

VIDEO 3 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

## Martian Successor Nadesico (1-3)

VIDEO 4 9:00 PM - 10:30 PM

## MICHI Performance

Community Stage 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM

## Mikagura School Suit (1-3)

VIDEO 3 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM

## Monthly Girls' Nozaki-kun (1-3)

VIDEO 2 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

## Myriad Colors Phantom World (1-3)t

VIDEO 2 9:30 PM - 11:00 PM

## Name That Karaoke!

Karaoke Events 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

## Naoshi Arakawa Guest Panel

LP 2 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM

## Noragami (1-3)

VIDEO 3 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

## Objection! Go Behind the Courtroom of Ace Attorney

LP 2 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM

Panel will feature behind the scenes information on Capcom's Phoenix Wright Ace Attorney franchise, including all new information on upcoming games. Additionally, behind the scenes info and special new footage of the Ace Attorney anime will also be featured.

## OKAYADO Live Drawing & Monster Musume QA Panel

LP 3 11:45 AM - 12:45 PM

## Open Mic Karaoke

Karaoke Events

7:00 PM - 11:00 PM

## Otaku Parliamentary Debate Signups

WS 2

7:45 PM - 8:45 PM

Are you passionate about your fandom? Have a bone to pick about which GUNDAM series is the best? How about who's the strongest magical girl? Then come and defend your claims! Come and signup while spots are available.

## Ouran High School Host Club (1-3)

VIDEO 4

12:00 PM - 1:30 PM

## Overlord (1-3)

VIDEO 2

12:30 AM - 2:00 AM

## P.A.WORKS 15th Anniversary Project "Kuromukuro" eps 1&2, Premiere Screening & Talk Show

LP 3

6:45 PM - 8:15 PM

North American Premiere Screening of P.A.WORKS' 15th Anniversary Project "Kuromukuro" eps 1&2! Come join us to see America's first screening of the samurai-mecha action series, created by studio P.A.WORKS, directed by Tensai Okamura, and brought to you by Pony Canyon! The screening will be accompanied with a talk show with Producer and CEO of P.A.WORKS, Kenji Horikawa. Available soon on Netflix.

## Pamela Vargas

Lounge 21

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

Pamela is a Peruvian singer and actress. Her love for music has taken her to perform in different stages around the world. After winning the AX Idol competition at the biggest Anime Convention in the United States (Anime Expo), Pamela continued to perform with her band in different anime conventions around the United States, as well as winning contests such as AX Battle of the Bands. Pamela is currently working with Disney Japan and is excited to return and perform at Anime Expo 2016.

## Peeking up Gal\*Gun's skirt: From Fan Request to Western Release (18+)

LP 4

10:30 PM - 11:30 PM

Ever wondered if your fan request to a games publisher ever has any influence? Tamura-san and Matt Papa of IntiCreates, along with Geraint Evans from Publisher PQube talk about bringing Gal\*Gun to a Western audience. Topics will include series history, the making of the game, the localisation process and the joy of Moe! We'll also have a Q&A at the end of the panel.

## Polymer Clay 101 - Session 1

WS 1

6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

What are the essential elements of manga style drawing? Japanese-American artists, Alisa & Chihiro, from Copic Markers/Imagination International and creators of the manga series *iiiAcademy* will take you step by step through the basics of how to create your own manga characters. The professional tips from Alisa & Chihiro will help the characters you see in your mind characters come to life.

## PONYCAN Industry Panel

LP 3

10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

PONY CANYON is the company that produces and distributes hit anime titles including *Attack on Titan*, *Free!*, *The New World*, *K-ON!*, and many more, and PONY CANYON USA is its new anime label for the North American market. Come join us to hear all about our popular titles plus upcoming releases. We're announcing brand new titles at AX! See our sneak previews, meet and have a Q&A with our special guests from Japan, and don't miss the fan-favorite Jan-ken-Pon game with our guests -- we will have an exclusive prize for the winner! Plus, our first 100 attendees will all get special giveaways. See you there!

## Posing Like a Pro! w/ Aicosu

WS 1

2:45 PM - 3:45 PM

So the cosplay's all finished and it's time for the con! But wait! Standing in front of the camera is so awkward! Well, we can help! We'll teach you all the basics of how to strike a pose. Whether it's with group, a giant prop, as an angry character or a friendly one, we got all the tips you'll need to get modeling today!

## Puella Magi Madoka Magica (1-3)

VIDEO 4

4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

## Re: Hamatora (1-3)

VIDEO 3

8:00 PM - 9:30 PM

## Reflections of a Changing Japan in Modern Japanese Visual Culture

LP 4

3:45 PM - 4:45 PM

## Safety in Cosplay w/ Steff Von Schweetz

WS 2

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

While cosplay should be fun, it's important not only to be aware of your surroundings, but conscious of your own health as well. Come join our panel of cosplayers and photographers as we talk about strategies to keep yourself safe in costume at conventions and photoshoots.

## SAKIRA Q&A (18+)

WS 1

9:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Juné Manga presents the bara/yaoi author and artist SAKIRA. Author of several popular titles including "Wild Boyfriend", "Boyfriend In Heat", and "Sailor Men", SAKIRA has graciously agreed to present a moderated Q&A session for your yaoi pleasure! (Of course, you can also purchase her titles from Juné's Akadot booth in the Dealers Hall.)

## Samurai Champloo (1-3)

VIDEO 4

3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

## SAO Festival "Meet and Play with the English Cast" Presented by Aniplex of America

LP 1

12:45 PM - 2:45 PM

Aniplex of America is back this year with the most entertaining English voice actor panel ever! Join us as the cast members of Sword Art Online share all the juicy details of what happened behind the scenes during their recording sessions. Have fun as the actors play ridiculous games where the points really don't matter but the losers end up embarrassing themselves in the hilarious penalty round. And don't forget about our laugh out loud blooper reel that's so exclusive we can only show it at this panel. This is one SAO party you don't want to miss!

## Sentai Filmworks Industry Panel

LP 1

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Do you want an inside look at all that's new and exciting from Sentai Filmworks? Of course you do. Join us for our industry panel!

## Shoji Kawamori Guest Panel

LP 2

7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

## Snow White with the Red Hair (1-3)

VIDEO 3

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

## "Sound! Euphonium" Panel with Voice Actress Chika Anzai

LP 3

1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Pony Canyon presents a screening of one episode of 'Sound! Euphonium', including a discussion and Q&A with special guest Chika Anzai, voice actress of one of the anime's main characters, Reina Kousaka. Attendees can also play the fan favorite game Jan-Ken-Pon -- there'll be an exclusive prize for the winner! Don't miss it!

## Star Ocean: Integrity and Faithlessness - Aligning the Stars

LP 1

10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

On the 20th anniversary of the Star Ocean series, join the developers and the cast of talented voice actors for Star Ocean: Integrity and Faithlessness. Explore how these elements came together to bring the game to the west for all JRPG fans. Attendees of this panel will receive a limited edition poster featuring artwork from Akiman. Quantities will be limited so make sure to get your seat early!

## Star Ocean: Integrity and Faithlessness Launch Party

Lounge 21

5:00 PM - 9:00 PM

## SUNRISE, BANDAI NAMCO Pictures, and GUNDAM

LP 2

3:30 PM - 5:30 PM

This is the official panel of SUNRISE and BANDAI NAMCO Pictures (BNP). BANDAI NAMCO Pictures has brought you TIGER & BUNNY and GINTAMA. The producers of your favorite shows--Shin Sasaki (GUNDAM series) and Masayuki Ozaki(TIGER&BUNNY)--will be on hand to give you exclusive behind-the-scenes info on past and upcoming shows! Also, join us for a special Gundam presentation featuring never-before-seen footage!

## Super Epic Fun Love Love Dating Game Show Extreme Edition (18+)

LP 1

9:30 PM - 11:30 PM

## Tales of Zestiria Panel, Screening, & Guest Talk

VIDEO 1

1:30 PM - 3:30 PM

## TeddyLoid

Lounge 21

10:00 PM - 11:30 PM

TeddyLoid started his career as MIYAVI's DJ and Sound Producer by joining his world tour when he was only 18 years old. He also produced OST for the GAINAX anime "Panty & Stocking with Garterbelt" with ☆Taku Takahashi(m-flo). He has also had experience in units with Shibusaki Ko and DECO\*27, he established galaxias!, he has also sound produced for Momoiro Clover Z, "Neo STARGATE" and had a guest appearance in 2013 Seibu Dome Taikai. Furthermore, he has provided BGM to the anime "Mekakucity Actors". TeddyLoid has also produced vocaloid IA tracks and remixes, handled Hibiki Yoshizaki's "MEIME!ME!" in "Anime(tor).

### Tenchi Universe (1-3)

VIDEO 4

1:30 PM - 3:30 PM

### The Boy and the Beast

VIDEO 2

7:30 PM - 9:30 PM

### The Corps Dance Crew

Community Stage

4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

The Corps was founded in 2013 by Kayla and Sonali, and after participating and placing in a number of SoCal hip hop competitions, their focus started to shift towards the anime and comic convention scene. Their first convention performance in 2014 at Anime Expo helped establish them in the community as a new wave of performance art; coupling creative cosplay with dance fundamentals and popular music to tell stories of beloved characters, both animated and cinematic.

### The Disappearance of Nagatoa Yuki-Chan (1-3)

VIDEO 3

3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

### The Irresponsible Captain Tylor (1-3)

VIDEO 4

7:30 PM - 9:00 PM

### The Lost Village (1-3)

VIDEO 1

11:15 PM - 12:45 AM

### Tokyo Ghoul A (1-3)

VIDEO 1

12:45 AM - 2:15 AM

### Understanding Japanese Tea

WS 2

1:30 PM - 3:45 PM

Every year Japanese green tea (ryokucha) becomes more popular world-wide, often winning awards and being recommended for its health benefits. This workshop aims to appeal to both beginner and advanced tea drinkers by covering the different types ryokucha, traditional & conventional preparation methods for yielding optimum flavor, and how to procure high-quality teas outside of Japan.

### Vampire Hunter D: The Series

WS1

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Concept art preview, series development updates and Q&A. Panel attendees will also be given some exclusive content access.

### Vertical Manga Panel

LP 4

1:15 PM - 2:15 PM

Vertical Inc's manga division Vertical Comics goes over their manga list for 2016 and 2017, revealing new acquisitions and industry insights.

### Warner Bros. Japan Anime Panel

LP 3

2:15 PM - 3:15 PM

### Weekly Shonen Jump Presents Kazue Kato

LP 2

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Join Weekly Shonen Jump and Anime Expo in welcoming the creator of the beloved BLUE EXORCIST manga, Kazue Kato! Kato Sensei makes her first North American appearance, and she will discuss her career and creative process, as well as answer questions about her work. Attendees will receive a limited edition poster.

### Wigs and Make Up for all Shades

WS 1

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Chocolate Covered Cosplay's Angel Tenshi and Ashi-Chan get together to share their experience with make up and wigs to level up every shade of cosplayer. Volunteers will be called to model make up and try on wigs during the workshop.

### Yaoi Bingo (18+)

WS 1

10:15 PM - 12:15 AM

This ain't your grandma's bingo night! You may think you know the game, but you haven't truly experienced it until you've participated in YaoiCon's Yaoi Bingo. Come for the amazing yaoi-themed prizes and stay for the lovely bishounen! Older teens and up only, please.

### Your Lie in April (1-3)

VIDEO 2

10:45 AM - 12:15 PM

### Zero Escape: Machinations of the Maestro

LP 3

3:45 PM - 4:45 PM

Zero Escape creator Kotaro Uchikoshi talks candidly about the Zero Escape series, his influences and the latest installment: Zero Time Dilemma.

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MAIN EVENTS (SUN, JULY 3)

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ANISONG WORLD MATSURI: JAPAN BAND BATTLE

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Mature Content

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**ANIME EXPO  
MASQUERADE**  
8:00 PM - 11:00 PM  
@MAIN EVENTS HALL



**MYTH: LEGENDS OF  
BURLESQUE & MAGIC (18+)**  
10:00 PM - 12:00 AM  
@LIVE PROGRAMMING 1 (PETREE HALL)

**DAY 3****SUN, JULY 3****EVENT DIRECTORY****MAIN EVENTS****Anisong World Matsuri: Japan Band Battle**

**Concerts (The Novo)**      2:00 PM - 4:30 PM  
                                   8:00 PM - 10:30 PM

Experience the thrilling head to head battle between FLOW, the rock band well known for their opening themes for *Naruto* and *Psalms of Planets Eureka seven*, and OLDCODEX, the rock band well known for the opening theme of *Kuroko's Basketball* and *GODEATER*. Let the battle of the bands begin!

**Masquerade**

**Main Events**      8:00 PM - 11:00 PM

With three divisions (Novice, Intermediate, and World), the Anime Expo Masquerade has been a longstanding tradition, running for over 20 years. The Masquerade is a cosplay and performance competition, with one of the largest cash prizes in the country.

**Myth: Legends of Burlesque & Magic (18+)**

**LP 1**      10:00 PM - 12:00 AM

This is one event you don't want to miss! Join internationally known Illusionist William Draven and Miss Universe (England) pageant contestant Vixen DeVille as they host simply one of the most impressive nights of burlesque and magic you have ever seen.

**A-1 Pictures Panel**

**LP 3**      4:15 PM - 5:30 PM

Hear what goes on behind the scenes at one of Japan's most prolific animation studios, A-1 Pictures—the studio behind many fan-favorite titles including *Sword Art Online*, *Blue Exorcist*, and *ERASED*. Come and hear the latest news about their current projects and watch exclusive footage straight from the studio!

**Acoustic Open Mic**

**Karaoke Events**      3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**Acoustikaraoke!**

**Karaoke Events**      1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

**Adult Weebs in a Working World w/ Dodger**

**LP 2**      1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

**Aksys Games: State of Anime Gaming**

**LP 3**      1:15 PM - 2:15 PM

Aksys Games will discuss popular franchises such as Zero Escape and Guilty Gear, the current status of anime gaming, new titles, franchises on the horizon and much more!

**AMV Audio Swap**

**AMV**      5:45 PM - 6:45 PM

Sometimes random chance makes AMVs even more awesome. And we are going to prove it by taking existing AMVs and replacing the audio with a completely different song! What you end up with is unpredictable and even surprisingly very entertaining.

**AMV Competition Encore & Awards**

**VIDEO 1**      12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

**AMV Creator Takeover**

**AMV**      5:15 PM - 5:45 PM

Here's your chance to meet the creators of some of your favorite AMVs as several revered creators present their works.

**AMV Mortal Combat 2.0**

**AMV**      8:15 PM - 9:15 PM

Join in the fun as we pit several AMVs to fight it out in the video arena. Cheer on your favorites and decide their fate in AMV Mortal Combat!

**AMV Showcase**

**AMV**      1:00 PM - 3:45 PM

We've reached into our grab-bag and come up with a choice selection of AMV awesomeness from all over the world, some of which might never have been seen at AX before!

**Anime and Manga in Hollywood - and What Happens Next**

**LP 4**      5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

## Anime Expo Photo Scavenger Hunt

WS 2

2:00 PM - 3:15 PM

Grab your team and arm yourselves with cameras. When we say go, take the list of items we have provided you and get as many snapshots of the items as you possibly can! The team that's back first with the highest amount of photos wins!

## Anime Jungle Presents: Voice Actor Tetsuya Kakihara Talk Show

WS2

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Come see Tetsuya Kakihara, the voice talent behind Natsu from Fairy Tail, Simon from Tengen Toppa Gurren Lagann, and many others!

## Architecturally Engineered Bodice: A Guide to Building a Supportive, Comfortable Gown

WS 2

10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Bridal and evening gowns employ period dressmaking techniques and materials to construct sturdy and nonrestrictive infrastructures. Through this panel, J.Hart will illuminate the construction of a modern strapless bustier through hundreds of illustrations and photos which leaves an undeniable influence on the shape of the finished garment. Basic sewing knowledge is recommended for this panel.

## Asterisk War English Dub Premiere

LP 3

11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

The popular battle spectacle anime is ready to make its dubbed debut at Anime Expo 2016--Join Aniplex of America as we present the world premiere of the English dubbed version of The Asterisk War! Witness the fan-favorite anime series packed with breathtaking action scenes and remarkable Festas as the curtain rises on the young men and women who will represent their academies and prove that they have what it takes to win it all!

## Astro Boy (1-3)

VIDEO 3

9:45 AM - 11:15 AM

## AV Dealer's Choice

VIDEO 1

6:00 AM - 8:00 AM  
8:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
3:00 AM - 4:00 AM

## AXDance Meet & Greet

AXDance

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Come on in to the AXDance Room and meet some of our Industry DJs, Producers and Vocalists. This year's AXDance talent lineup is from the States, overseas and else where? Autographs and exclusive merch will only be done during this time frame so don't miss out!

## AXDance Nights (Ages 16+)

AXDance

7:30 PM - 10:30 PM

\*All Responsible Ages

## AXDance Nights (Ages 18+)

AXDance

10:30 PM - 2:00 AM

18+ ONLY - Please bring valid identification that confirms date of birth. Badge and ID are required to gain access to the AX Dance Area.

## BIG ORDER (1-3)

VIDEO 2

9:30 PM - 11:00 PM

## Blue Exorcist Panel

LP 1

2:15 PM - 3:45 PM

Join Aniplex of America this weekend as we celebrate the 5 year Anniversary of the fan-favorite anime series Blue Exorcist! Show your love for the Okumura brothers and enjoy our fun filled panel featuring must-see bloopers, fan favorite countdowns, exclusive giveaways, a very special announcement and much more!

## CANNON BUSTERS Pilot

VIDEO 4

1:30 PM - 2:00 PM

## Catgirls Galore! Meet Sayori, the creator of Neko Para!

LP 1

9:15 PM - 10:15 PM

Chocola and Vanilla, the main catgirls of the NekoPara franchise have taken the Western world by storm and the person behind that is none other than their creator, Sayori. Come learn about the NekoPara world and see Sayori bring her creations to life in a live drawing demonstration.

## Cerberus (1-3)

VIDEO 1

12:00 AM - 1:30 AM

## Chibi Cosplay: The Art of Children's Cosplay from Basic to Award Winning

LP 4

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Chibi Cosplay is about the ups and downs of creating cosplay for our every changing child. Topics will be on budget, time management, the best materials to use, age appropriate clothing, armor, and props (which materials are durable but lightweight).

## Chii Sakurabi

Community Stage

7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Chii Sakurabi is a J-POP singer and recording artist from Tokyo, Japan. Chii is known for her high-energy music, angelic voice, and kawaii style! In late 2011, Chii's breakout first album *Mirage* was released. It featured a unique electro-pop style with fantasy themes, as well as a mixture of English and Japanese lyrics. In 2014, Chii's music evolved dramatically creating a distinct and dynamic sound with her second album *Moon Princess*, based on the Japanese fairytale character Princess Kaguya.

## Chocolate Covered Cosplay's Diversity Panel

WS 1

4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Chocolate Covered Cosplay loves a good dialogue. Come join the sisters of C3 as they share their stories and hold an open dialogue about diversity and positivity in the cosplay community.

## Comedy on the Edge (18+)

AMV

11:00 PM - 12:00 AM

You know what these are. These are those "special" comedy AMVs that we just can't show during the day. Here's a special late night block full of 'em!

## Coming to a Theater Near You!

AMV

7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Anime Parody trailers have spawned a whole new class of AMVs, and we've got an hour full of them! These trailers might even be more interesting than the originals!

## Copic Marker Essentials

WS 1

5:45 PM - 7:45 PM

From choosing paper to inking and coloring, this class gives a basic overview of how to use Copic products for coloring your manga characters. Learn how to pick blending colors, how to color like the pros, and see an airbrush demo. All supplies provided. Arrive early for best seating. Taught by Copic marker guru Marianne Walker.

## Cosplay Photoshop 101 w/ Aicosu

WS 1

12:15 PM - 1:15 PM

Come and learn all about post-photo editing for your cosplay needs! Learn how to touch up your skin, add better lighting, change the background, add visual effects like super powers and sparkles and more! We will break it down for you so it's easy, fun and fast! We'll teach you the basic tools and advanced techniques.

## Cosplay Senpai Roundtable

LP 3

2:30 PM - 4:00 PM

## Cosplay Wrestling Federation (18+)

WS 1

9:00 PM - 10:45 PM

The purpose of the Cosplay Wrestling Federation (CWF) is to combine the high energy drama of professional wrestling show with the fun of cosplay! Staged as a pro-wrestling event, cosplayers that are selected to come on stage and give speeches to either garner the support or hatred of the crowd. Contestants are eliminated one by one, with a champion is crowned and awarded with a custom CWF belt!

## Creating New Games With a Retro Flair: Keiji Inafune and Inti Creates

Main Events

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

If there was a list of Japanese game creators who have a wealth of knowledge, and create games that both keep up with current trends and invoke feelings from the golden age of Japanese games, Comcept CEO Keiji Inafune and Inti Creates CEO Takuya Aizu would no doubt be included in that list. The main topic of conversation will be about how they, as Japanese game creators, aim to create their own original style of games which are designed to appeal both to their local fans in Japan and to fans across the globe. They will also talk about their current projects, and that will be followed up by a Q&A session. Knowing these guys, they may have some surprises up their sleeves too...

## Crunchyroll Presents: Mob Psycho One Hundred Exclusive Premiere

VIDEO 1

6:15 PM - 7:45 PM

From the same man that brought you the smash-hit *ONE PUNCH MAN* comes another work that is sure to leave you craving for more-- *ONE*'s next work *Mob Psycho One Hundred* will be making its debut here at AX! Be among the first ones catch the exclusive anime premier, with animation by the famed Studio BONES--AND to top it off, the president of Studio BONES Masahiko Minami will be there in person for a special Q&A session after the screening.

## Crunchyroll Simulcast Preview Panel

LP 3

7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Looking for something new to watch this season? Want to hear about the hottest new anime from Japan? Then this is the panel for you! Join Crunchyroll as they highlight some of the latest anime hitting this simulcast season.

## eGaming Tournament Finals

Community Stage      3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

## Erased (1-3)

VIDEO 2      2:30 PM - 4:00 PM

## Eureka SeveN: Astral Ocean (1-3)

VIDEO 4      4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

## FAKKU Q&A (18+)

LP 4      10:30 PM - 11:30 PM

General question and answer session with members of FAKKU, the largest hentai publisher in the United States.

## Fate/stay night: Unlimited Blade Works (1-3)

VIDEO 2      4:00 PM - 5:30 PM

## Fitness 101 for Cosplayers and Congoers

WS 1      1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Join us on this as we have a discussion including experts in both nutritional biology and sports biomechanics into training methods, do's and don'ts, and how to work out effectively for your cosplay and life goals!

## FLCL 2 Guest Panel

LP 1      5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

## Food Wars (Shokugeki no Soma) (1-3)

VIDEO 1      10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

## Funimation Favorites

LP 3      10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Join Funimation staff as we take a look at some of our personal favorites from current anime and past classics. What's your Funimation favorite? Share it with us using the hashtag #FunimationFave and you could win a prize!

## Funimation Industry Panel

LP 1      11:45 AM - 1:45 PM

From Akira to Dragon Ball Z, hear the latest news, info, and announcements from North America's largest anime distributor—Funimation. Live tweet with us using the hashtag #FUNimationPanel for a chance to win prizes!

## Funimation Presents : My Hero Academia

LP 2      5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

## GATE 2 (13-15)

VIDEO 2      8:00 PM - 9:30 PM

## Getting Paid To Write About Anime

WS 1      9:45 AM - 10:45 AM

The editorial staff of the widest-read English language anime and manga news site offer up advice for writers who want to start getting paid, professional work writing about the thing they love most. Real advice from real professionals who hire writers themselves.

## Girls Und Robots - Re-Evaluating "Genre" Demarcations in Anime

LP 4      3:45 PM - 4:45 PM

## Gundam Build Fighters (1-3)

VIDEO 3      5:15 PM - 6:45 PM

## Gundam Model Building for Everyone

WS 2      6:45 PM - 8:45 PM

Gundam model building panel that is presented in an entertaining fashion for all ages. If you are interested in improving your gunpla building skills, you need to attend this panel. If you want to meet fellow gunpla enthusiast, you need to attend this panel. If you have no idea what gunpla is, but like playing with sharp pointy objects, you need to attend this panel!

## Haikyuu!! (1-3)

VIDEO 2      10:15 AM - 11:45 AM

## Hentai Festival, presented by Project-H (18+)

LP 3      9:00 PM - 12:00 AM

## How to Draw Manga-Style Characters

WS 1      2:45 PM - 4:15 PM

What are the essential elements of manga style drawing? Japanese-American artists, Alisa & Chihiro, from Copic Markers/Imagination International and creators of the manga series iiiAcademy will take you step by step through the basics of how to create your own manga characters. The professional tips from Alisa & Chihiro will help the characters you see in your mind characters come to life.

## Infinite Combo

Lounge 21      11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Band Performance

### Inside the Voice Actors' Studio III

LP 3                    5:45 PM - 7:15 PM

Interested in the voice-acting profession? Come get first-hand advice and experience from Bang Zoom! Professionals in an intimate setting! Bang Zoom! Entertainment is an award-winning full-service audio post and creative production company.

### Junichi Suwabe Guest Panel

LP 2                    9:45 AM - 10:45 AM

### Kimba the White Lion (1-3)

VIDEO 3                12:45 PM - 2:15 PM

### Kiznaiver Guest Panel

LP 1                    6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

### Knights of Sidonia (1-3)

VIDEO 4                3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

### Koji Igarashi Guest Panel

LP 2                    12:15 PM - 1:15 PM

### K-POP Battles Finals

AXDance                4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

The Finale of the K-POP Battles. Come see who this year's Anime Expo K-POP Battle Champions will be!

### K-POP Dance Workshop #2

AXDance                12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Learn a fun K-POP dance from one of our ANXiDOLS. All ages are welcome!

### Learn to Play Japanese Mahjong

WS 2                    4:45 PM - 6:30 PM

Seen the Saki and Akagi anime? Ever wanted to learn Japanese Mahjong? Now here's your chance! After this panel you will be able to jump right in and start playing. The Pacific Mahjong League will provide a flyer with free online places to play and free guides. Also, after the presentation we will have a short meet and greet for all players, beginning and advanced to meet up and exchange info to play live tile games within their own locale.

### Lupin the Third - The Woman Called Fujiko Mine (1-3) (18+)

VIDEO 1                1:30 AM - 3:00 AM

### Makoto Shinkai's "your name" World Premiere & Panel

Main Events

1:00 PM - 3:15 PM

### MangaGamer: Shigeo Hamashima - Q&A (18+)

LP 2                    10:15 PM - 11:15 PM

Shigeo Hamashima is a concept artist, graphic designer, and illustrator. She actively designs characters for an assortment of games that target a diverse range of audiences. Her most famous works include Clock-Up's "Eroge! Sex and Games Make Sexy Games", "No, Thank You!!!", and "euphoria". She's known for being candid about her work and her strikingly realistic designs that still characterize modern Japanese "moe", albeit with her own unique touch.

### MaryKnoll Shotokan Karate

Community Stage                1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Maryknoll Karate is one of the oldest continuously operating karate dojos in the United States and the world. It was founded by, and trains the continued guidance of, Tsutomu Ohshima, chief instructor of Shotokan Karate of American, a non-profit organization dedicated to teaching traditional karate in the United Stated since 1956 and whose mission statement is: "To preserve, perpetuate and advance the legacy of Shotokan Karate for the betterment of the lives of those who train, and to contribute positively to human history."

### Masahiko Minami - President of Studio BONES

LP 2                    2:45 PM - 3:45 PM

Meet the man behind one of the leading animation studios in the anime industry today, Masahiko Minami! From this season's *One Hundred Mob Psycho* and *Bungo Stray Dogs*, find out about the shows he's worked on, and his history with Studio.

### Mega Ran

Lounge 21                5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Mega Ran, aka Raheem Jarbo of Philadelphia is arguably the world's most well known video-game influenced performance artist. Since signing an unprecedented licensing deal with international developer Capcom, the former teacher's high-energy shows and fun, nerdy persona have led to world tours, festival and video game tournament performances, and a legion of smart art fans he calls "TeamMega."

### Mobile Suit Gundam Thunderbolt Screening and Panel Presented by SUNRISE

VIDEO 1

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

## Miraculous: Tales of Ladybug and Cat Noir - English Cast, Director, & Producers!

LP 4

1:15 PM - 2:15 PM

Miraculer fandom! Join U.S. voice actor cast, voice director, and executive producers of global #1 kids' TV show, \*Miraculous: Tales of Ladybug & Cat Noir,\* for a behind-the scenes look at season one production, Bandai's upcoming global toy line launch, and of course, our empowering girl superhero, Ladybug! The panel will have a Q&A segment!

## My Hero Academia

VIDEO 2

11:45 AM - 1:15 PM

## Namaste Anime

WS 2

11:45 AM - 1:45 PM

This yoga workshop is an introduction to yoga as a holistic means of health and wellness by connecting the mind, body, and spirit. This workshop is catered to ALL LEVELS and will be covering the basic fundamentals such as breathing techniques and yoga postures. Everyone is welcome and no prior yoga experience is needed. Yoga in cosplay will be fun but not required for this class. :)

## Naughty Figures (18+)

LP 2

9:00 PM - 10:00 PM

## Now that's COMEDY!

AMV

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Is it any wonder why it's the most popular AMV category? Join us for a full block of comedy awesomeness! Get your seats early, they fill up fast!

## Official Gaia Online Panel

LP 4

6:15 PM - 7:45 PM

Join us for the Official Gaia Online Panel. This is your chance to meet the Gaia staff, get your burning questions answered and take a sneak peek at some of the great stuff Gaia Interactive has planned for 2016. Expect plenty of fun and some great prizes.

## Official SAILOR MOON Panel

Main Events

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Let's kick off another magical SAILOR MOON Day extravaganza with special guests, announcements, loads of sparkle and fun with your friends at VIZ Media. Everyone attending will get a special treat while supplies last!

## One Piece Film: Strong World

VIDEO 1

8:00 PM - 10:30 PM

## ONE-PUNCH MAN

VIDEO 2

6:45 PM - 8:00 PM

## Open Mic Karaoke

Karaoke Events

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
12:00 AM - 2:00 AM

## Otaku Parliamentary Debate

WS1

9:45 PM - 11:45 PM

Hear ye, hear ye! Multiple teams duke it out over divisive topics, and the crowd determines the winner. Which team will be crowned champion of this year's Otaku Parliamentary Debate?

## Owarimonogatari (1-3)

VIDEO 2

11:00 PM - 12:30 AM

## Panpaka Pants & SHIROZEME

VIDEO 3

2:15 PM - 3:45 PM

## Party with FAKKU!

Lounge 21

9:00 PM - 1:00 AM

Come party with FAKKU! There will be music, prizes, merch and more! Music will be provided by Meishi Smile. Every entrant gets a free trial subscription at the door.

## Past, Present, & Future of Mobile Gaming

WS 1

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Join mobile game publisher Kick9 for a behind the scenes look at Kick9's latest and upcoming games. Learn about what works and doesn't work in the mobile space and have a chance to ask questions to our panel of mobile game industry veterans. Expect plenty of fun and some great prizes!

## Polar Bear Café (1-3)

VIDEO 3

3:45 PM - 5:15 PM

## Polymer Clay 101 - Session 2

WS 1

8:00 PM - 9:30 PM

Learn how to work with polymer clay by sculpting your own charm with Killer Tentacle Octopus. Ever wanted to work with polymer clay but didn't know where to start? This workshop will go through the basics of how to work with this versatile product. At the end you'll have your own piece to take home. Come join in for this fun class! Clay packets available for the first 60 attendees only.

## Ponies Anthology 5 (Pony Hell)

AMV 11:15 AM - 12:45 PM

And you thought the Pony experience was over! Pony up to laugh real hard to the most funniest and twisted moments from the world of pony.

## Production IG Industry Panel

LP 1 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

## Psycho-PASS Season 2 (1-3)

VIDEO 2 12:30 AM - 2:00 AM

## Re:ZERO -Starting Life in Another World- (1-3)

VIDEO 1 10:30 PM - 12:00 AM

## SAILOR MOON

VIDEO 2 1:15 PM - 2:30 PM

## SAILOR MOON CRYSTAL

VIDEO 2 5:30 PM - 6:45 PM

## Sekai Project Industry Panel-Games, Manga, and Visual Novels

LP 4 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM

We are Sekai Project, a Los Angeles-based licensing and publishing company focused on Japanese media content and electronic entertainment. Join us as we take a look back at all of the awesomeness that was 2015 and stay for the surprises, giveaways, and reveals that we have in store for you in 2016!

## Sketchbook ~Full Color's~ (1-3)

VIDEO 3 11:15 AM - 12:45 PM

## SouLandscape

Lounge 21 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

SouLandscape is a Japanese Electro World Music Duo. At our live performances, full of both Original and Anime Songs, EDM, World Music, and Theatrical Performances, we will surround you with our fantastical imaginary world! Stay tuned! Website: [www.soulandscape.com/](http://www.soulandscape.com/) SNS: [www.facebook.com/SouLandscape](https://www.facebook.com/SouLandscape)

## Special Screening

VIDEO 4 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

## Spotlight on Fullmetal Alchemist

AMV 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Take a journey into the ever popular world of Fullmetal Alchemist as seen through AMVs.

## Summer Wars

VIDEO 3 6:45 PM - 9:15 PM

## The Devil is a Part-Timer! (1-2)

VIDEO 4 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

## Tough Crowd (18+)

WS2 11:00 PM - 12:00 AM

Tough Crowd covers everything in the hobbyist world, with a special emphasis on controversies, both real, and imagined. Come join convention comic regulars argue about things nobody should really care about.

## UKFC: Ultimate Karaoke Fighting Championship

Karaoke Events 8:00 PM - 12:00 AM

## Ultimate Rhythm Power Hour

AMV 9:30 PM - 10:30 PM

Join us for an ultimate hour-long non-stop mega-mix of rhythmic AMV euphoria that escalates the beat and elevates the soul, no psychotropics necessary!

## Using Anime and Manga in Education

LP 4 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM

## Vintage Anime LaserDisc Night

VIDEO 4 6:30 PM - 12:00 AM

## What is Anime Consortium Japan?

LP 2 11:00 AM - 12:00 AM

## Who's that Pokémon?

LP 4 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM

Who's that Pokémon? is a quiz show where the crowd can participate to win fabulous prizes by showing off their knowledge of all 718 Pokémon from every generation. Caught em' all? Prove your Pokémon trivia skills with other trainers.

## Yoshitaka Amano Guest Panel

LP 1 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

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# ANIME EXPO CLOSING CEREMONY

## 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM @MAIN EVENTS HALL

The final goodbye to Anime Expo 2016! Come say "sayonara" to all the amazing guests, employees, and volunteers of Anime Expo and also enjoy exciting previews for AX 2017! Come light up the room with free LUMICA Light Sticks sponsored by LUMICA!



**DAY 4****MON, JULY 4****EVENT DIRECTORY****MAIN EVENTS****Anime Expo Closing Ceremony**

Main Events                    4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

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**Cowboy Bebop: Jazz Cat Experience**

Main Events                    11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

The Cowboy Bebop Jazz Cat Experience will bring down the house as we pay tribute to one of the coolest anime ever created. Universally acknowledged for its unique soundtrack and epic stories told with the moody sounds of a John Coltrane album, Cowboy Bebop breaks the mold of what an anime could be and the cultural impact it can have.

**Active Raid (1-3)**

VIDEO 1                        1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

**Amagi Brilliant Park (1-3)**

VIDEO 4                        11:45 AM - 1:15 PM

**AMV Sing, Clap & Stomp-A-Long**

AMV                            3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

And to finish it all off, come and join in as we Sing-A-Long, Clap-A-Long and Stomp-A-Long to AMVs!

**Anime Conji 2016 AMV Contest Winners**

AMV                            12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

Want to know who won Anime Conji's 2016 AMV Contest? Here's your chance to find out.

**Anne-Happy (1-3)**

VIDEO 3                        10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

**Aniplex of America Game Show**

LP 4                            10:00 AM - 11:15 AM

Join us for our second installment of the Aniplex Game Show at Anime Expo 2016! Are you a true Aniplex Otaku? Do you think you have what it takes to take home the title of "#1 Aniplex Fan?" Then come on down to the Aniplex Game Show. We have tons of prizes that we don't plan on taking back with us to the office. If you were looking for an event to show off your anime knowledge for some swanky swag then we've got you covered. Come have fun with us!

**Applying Auteur, Critical, and Feminist Theory to Anime**

LP 4                            12:45 PM - 1:45 PM

**AV Dealer's Choice**VIDEO 1                        6:00 AM - 8:00 AM  
8:00 AM - 10:00 AM**Avatar: The Malleability of Goodness & The Dichotomy of Evil**

WS 3                            1:15 PM - 2:15 PM

In the two representations of the World of the Avatar that we have seen, the concept of good and evil have been presented in multiple ways. In this panel we will dissect the world of the Avatar, and what it means to do "Good" and how the idea of "Good" transforms throughout the entire series. We will also examine the representations of evil that develop in the series, and how they manifest in the world of the Avatar.

**AX 2016 AMV Competition: Best of the Non-Finalists**

AMV                            10:00 AM - 12:30 PM

There are only so many videos that we can put in the main competition, and our heart breaks at all of the awesome ones we didn't have room to show you. These rough diamonds are worthy of your consideration!

## AX AMVs Team Choice Awards

AMV

1:45 PM - 2:45 PM

Some of us have seen a LOT of AMVs over the years, so why not showcase some of the ones that deserve some recognition! Join us as we journey through some of the greatest AMVs ever made in a wide variety of "interesting" categories.

## Banzai Arcarde: Trivia RPG

WS 2

10:15 AM - 11:45 AM

What video game is synonymous with "Demon Shall Weep?" Did you think "Devil May Cry?" Good! What about for anime: "Spirit Devourer?" Did you answer "Soul Eater?" No? Then prepare to die. Welcome to Banzai Arcarde: Trivia RPG. Answer trivia questions to attack and defend against enemies in this parody-filled hype as as hell RPG ran by the audience. Anyone can participate!

## Blue Spring Ride (1-3)

VIDEO 1

11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

## Captain Savvy Singalong Crew

Community Stage

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Captain's Savvy Singalong Crew is a professional musical act that prides itself on celebrating the diverse aspects of otaku and nerd pop culture. The group uses music and comedy as a way to share their love for all things geek-chic while engaging their fans and audience. All performances are accompanied by lyrical presentations in order to encourage fans to sing along. Originating in Southern California, the band started as a passion project from lead vocalist Samuel "Captain" Khosravi.

## Charity Auction

LP 1

11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Get a chance to bid on one-of-a-kind items at the annual Charity Auction. Not only will you get the opportunity to purchase items like original sketches, limited edition swag, and other signed items, you will be helping to support the Global Giving: Kumamoto Earthquake Relief Fund.

## Cowboy Bebop Voice Actor Panel

LP 1

2:15 PM - 3:15 PM

## Connecting Anime World and Reality

LP 2

2:45 PM - 3:45 PM

TRUE TEARS, HANSAKU IROHA, THE ECCENTRIC FAMILY, SHIROBAKO, and KUROMUKURO. What is the similarity between all these anime? These series breach the walls of reality and brings sense of wonder from the fictional world. Come witness how these creative minds connect reality with the world of anime.

## Cospix Presents Photoshop for Cosplay Photos

WS 2

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Did you take super awesome pics during Anime Expo? Want to know how to make them even MORE awesome with Adobe's Lightroom and Photoshop tools? Well, you're in luck! Vince, the founder of Cospix is here to save the day with his decade of experience in convention and cosplay photography and editing skills!

## Cosplay is NOT Consent

WS 1

10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Costuming and portraying your favorite characters at conventions is a chance for fans to express themselves and celebrate a shared passion for anime, sci-fi, video games, etc. Many female cosplayers, though, are made to feel uncomfortable due to inappropriate actions and comments of fellow attendees. Join a round table discussion with other cosplayers (including models from CosplayDeviants.com) as they share experiences and offer suggestions on how to handle awkward moments and avoid putting yourself in bad circumstances. Panel rated PG-13 due to some mature discussion material.

## eGaming Tournament Finals

Community Stage

12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

## GOD EATER Panel, Screening, & Guest Talk

LP 4

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

## Gourmet Girl Graffiti (1-3)

VIDEO 2

1:45 PM - 3:15 PM

## Haven't you Heard I'm Sakamoto (1-3)

VIDEO 2

12:15 PM - 1:45 PM

## Introduction to the Japanese Exchange and Teaching Program (JET)

WS 1

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Have you ever thought about wanting to live and work in Japan? Are you willing to share your language and culture to the Japanese people and vice versa? Then you may want to consider the JET Program. Come attend our panel to learn more about this wonderful program and on how to apply. JET alumni and the JET Coordinator will be present to tell stories of their experiences and explain more in detail about what the program entails.

## Kadokawa is Here!

LP 3

12:45 PM - 1:45 PM

One of the largest publishers in Japan, Kadokawa is responsible for some of the biggest anime, manga and light novels in the world! (Do Kill La Kill, ERASED, and Bungo Stray Dogs ring a bell?) Kadokawa recently announced an alliance with Crunchyroll for anime and the formation of Yen Press as a joint venture with Hachette Book Group for manga and light novels, which means more great Kadokawa properties are coming your way soon! Join representatives from Crunchyroll and Yen Press as they talk about future Kadokawa titles in the U.S.

## KanColle (1-3)

VIDEO 3

1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

## Kids on the Slope (1-3)

VIDEO 3

11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

## KONOSUBA -God's blessing on this wonderful world! (1-3)

VIDEO 1

10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

## Learn to Sew your own Cosplay

WS 1

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Want to learn how to sew your own cosplay but don't know where to start? Not sure what sewing machine to buy? Which fabric is right for your character? Don't know what a pattern is? Well Ginger from Chocolate Covered Cosplay is here to help! In this panel you will learn where to start when picking your fabrics, how to manipulate existing patterns into your cosplay, and finishing tips & tricks to make your costume look complete and professionally made!

## My Teen Romantic Comedy SNAFU (1-3)

VIDEO 4

1:15 PM - 2:45 PM

## nbkz Q&A - From Fairy Tales to the End of the World

LP 2

12:15 PM - 1:15 PM

As one of the founding members of minori, Nobukazu Sakai (nbkz) has been instrumental in molding a little known visual novel studio into one of the premier VN developers in the industry. As both president and artistic director nbkz has had a hand in a wide variety of titles throughout minori's history, including but not limited to, "ef - a Fairy Tale of the Two" and "eden\*". Manga Gamer is proud to bring nbkz to his first Anime Expo, so please join us as with your questions as we chat with nbkz about minori and his vision for the perfect fairy tale.

## Open Mic Karaoke

Karaoke Events

12:00 PM - 4:00 PM

## Self-Publishing 101

WS 1

12:45 PM - 1:45 PM

As one of the founding members of minori, NobukaEver wanted to publish your own book or manga? Come and learn about the wonderful world of self-publishing and get your questions answered about writing, editing, distributing, and marketing.

## Shirobako (1-3)

VIDEO 4

10:15 AM - 11:45 AM

## Start Your Own Anime Club!

LP 3

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Are you in middle or high school? Wish your school had it's own manga or anime club? We have the solution! Come to our panel to learn how to convince your teachers that you can run your own Manga/Anime club! We'll give a FREE kit to your school (these mail in the fall directly to your school) including ideas for cultural lessons (language, cooking, origami & more), how-to-draw books & supplies, posters to advertise your meeting times, swag, and lists of appropriate Anime to watch and Manga to read. You'll have the best-organized club in the whole school! Sponsored by Copic Markers / Imagination International Inc.

## The Shape of Things to Pop: TOKYOPOP and POP Comics

LP 3

10:30 AM - 12:30 PM

TOKYOPOP is back! From eBooks, to a triumphant return to physical book publishing, and looking forward to our 20th anniversary next year, the return of TOKYOPOP to full operation after our rough patch a few years ago is complete! We'll be talking about our new alliance with Disney, and other projects for the future. We will also be talking about POP Comics, a new venue for creator-owned manga and other types of comics. Imagine a YouTube for manga, or a global, 24-7 Comiket, and you might get a sense of the power of what we are unleashing. We'll give you the how-to on posting your work.

## Translating Cool: Teaching Popular Culture Through the Lens of Translation

LP 4

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

## Weekly Shonen Jump Panel

LP 2

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Hang out with the English language editors of the world's most popular manga! We've got exciting news about the LATEST developments on new series, all-time fan favorites, and what we're doing to bring you the world's best manga! We'll also have amazing prizes up for grabs. Don't miss it!

## Wolf Children

VIDEO 2

10:15 AM - 12:15 PM



# SPECIAL EVENTS

## Maid Café\*

## Maid Café (515 B)

Okaerinasaimase, goshujinsama! Welcome home to the Anime Expo Maid Café! Our kawaii AX Maids are happy to entertain guests with games, dancing and much more! The AX Maid Café will make you feel refreshed and welcomed in this one of a kind interactive experience.

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)	DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)	DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

## Maid Café: After Dark 18+\*

## Maid Café (515 B)

Join our Bunny Girls in this enticing 18+ interactive event. Spend the evening talking, dancing and playing games with these enchanting ladies. It is sure to be entertaining for all!

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)	DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)	DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM 9:00 PM - 10:00 PM	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM 9:00 PM - 10:00 PM	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM 9:00 PM - 10:00 PM

## Butler Café\*

## Maid Café (515 B)

Fresh off of Anime Expo 2015, our Butler Café is a fun interactive experience. Here you can enjoy musical performances, dances, and much more! Refresh yourself with some delicious coffee and pastries all while enjoying the company of our AX Butlers.

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)	DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)	DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)
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## Butler Café: Summer Matsuri 18+\*

## Maid Café (515 B)

Summer romance gets steamy at this year's Butler Café. Join our yukata clad AX Butlers as they entertain and charm the ladies in this interactive nighttime event. Beverages, food, and photo ops are not included for all events.

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)	DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)	DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)
7:30 PM - 8:30 PM 10:30 PM - 11:30 PM	7:30 PM - 8:30 PM 10:30 PM - 11:30 PM	7:30 PM - 8:30 PM 10:30 PM - 11:30 PM

## Night Café\*

## Quiet Room (502 B)

Come experience a variety of evening entertainment, games and drinks. Every guest is given one complimentary drink upon entry. Tables will have the chance to win another round of drinks or Anime Expo event tickets! Hosted by Late Comedy Showdown Winner, Caitlin Macatee and other surprise performances.

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)	DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)	DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)
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\* To purchase tickets for any of the Maid Café, Butler Café, or Night Café events, please visit [anime-expo.showclix.com](http://anime-expo.showclix.com) or visit the Ticketing Booth located in West Hall Lobby.

**Fashion Show** DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2) 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM**LP 1 (Petree Hall)**

Japan is home to some of the most cutting-edge fashion trends in the world. Join us at this year's Anime Expo Fashion Show featuring KOMACHI 2266531 Dark Lolita, Bunny & Black, and more. Each of these wonderful brands will be showcasing some of their best work. After, head over to the Exhibit Hall and shop the brands!

**Charity Auction** DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4) 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM**LP 1 (Petree Hall)**

Get a chance to bid on one-of-a-kind items at the annual Charity Auction. Not only will you get the opportunity to purchase items like original sketches, limited edition swag, and other signed items, you will be helping to support the Global Giving: Kumamoto Earthquake Relief Fund.

**J-POP Dance Workshop** DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1) 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM / 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM**AXDance (Concourse F)**

Learn a fun J-POP dance from one of our ANXiDOLS. All ages are welcome!

**K-POP Dance Workshop****AXDance (Concourse F)**

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1) 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM / DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3) 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Learn a fun K-POP dance from one of our ANXiDOLS. All ages are welcome!

**J-POP Battles** <FINALS> DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2) 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM**AXDance (Concourse F)**

The J-POP Battles are a Japanese Pop "dance-cover" event in which we determine the winner for the best dance-cover routine and crown this year's Anime Expo J-POP Battle Champions.

**K-POP Battles****AXDance (Concourse F)**

<SEMI-FINALS> DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2) 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM <FINALS> DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3) 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

AXDance's 3rd year in a row hosting the K-POP Battles. The K-POP Battles is a "dance-cover" competition held live that is themed around Korean Popular Music. Entries dress up like their favorite artist and or groups and recreate their music videos in front of a live crowd.

**AXDance Nights (Ages 16+)****AXDance (Concourse F)**

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1) 8:00 PM - 10:30 PM / DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2) 7:30 PM - 10:30 PM / DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3) 7:30 PM - 10:30 PM

**AXDance Nights (Ages 18+)****AXDance (Concourse F)**

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1) 10:30 PM - 2:00 AM / DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2) 10:30 PM - 2:00 AM / DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3) 10:30 PM - 2:00 AM

18+ ONLY - Please bring valid identification that confirms date of birth. Badge and ID are required to gain access to the AX Dance Area.

**AXDance Meet & Greet** DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3) 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM**AXDance (Concourse F)**

Come on in to the AXDance Room and meet some of our Industry DJs, Producers and Vocalists. This year's AXDance talent lineup is from the States, overseas and else where! Autographs and exclusive merch will only be done during this time frame so don't miss out!

**Cosplay Deviants presents A Night in 7th Heaven****Lounge 21 (Concourse E)**

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1) 10:00 PM - 1:30 AM

Join us in Lounge 21 and live your final fantasy as Cosplay Deviants returns to host the hottest adults only party at Anime Expo®! With music all night by DO NOT FEED THE DJ and entertainment by the girls of CosplayDeviants.com, this is one party you cannot miss!

**Star Ocean: Integrity and Faithlessness Launch Party****Lounge 21 (Concourse E)**

DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2) 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM

**Party with FAKKU!** DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3) 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM**Lounge 21 (Concourse E)**

Come party with FAKKU! there will be music, prizes and more! Music will be provided by Meishi Smile. Every entrant gets a free trial subscription at the door.

# PROGRAMMING TRACKS



## KIDS DAY PROGRAMMING TRACK

Kids rule during this brand new Programming Track for Anime Expo. With panels, workshops, screenings and more, Anime Expo's Kids Day has something for everyone in the family! Come join us as we present a family friendly track that is sure to entertain kids of all ages.

DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	10:15 AM - 11:45 AM	LP 4 (411)	Who's that Pokémon?
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	LP 4 (411)	Chibi Cosplay: The Art of Children's Cosplay from Basic to Award Winning
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	1:15 PM - 2:15 PM	LP 4 (411)	Miraculous: Tales of Ladybug and Cat Noir - English Cast, Director, & Producers!
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	2:45 PM - 4:15 PM	WS 1 (404 AB)	How to Draw Manga-Style Characters
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	5:45 PM - 7:45 PM	WS 1 (404 AB)	Copic Marker Essentials
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Community Stage (Hall A)	MaryKnoll Shotokan Karate
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	9:45 AM - 11:15 AM	VIDEO 3 (402 A)	Astro Boy (1-3)
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	11:15 AM - 12:45 PM	VIDEO 3 (402 A)	Sketchbook ~Full Color's~ (1-3)
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	12:45 PM - 2:15 PM	VIDEO 3 (402 A)	Kimba the White Lion (1-3)
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	2:15 PM - 3:45 PM	VIDEO 3 (402 A)	Panpaka Pants & SHIROZEME
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	3:45 PM - 5:15 PM	VIDEO 3 (402 A)	Polar Bear Café (1-3)
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	5:15 PM - 6:45 PM	VIDEO 3 (402 A)	Gundam Build Fighters (1-3)
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	6:45 PM - 9:15 PM	VIDEO 3 (402 A)	Summer Wars

## CULTURAL WORKSHOP TRACK

Experience Japan's vibrant culture here at Anime Expo. From Taiko drumming to tea ceremonies, you will be able to get to know nuances of Japan's culture here in the United States. Each day of Anime Expo offers something new! So whether you're interested in visiting Japan or learning how to play a game of Japanese Mahjong, you're sure to have an amazing time.

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)	2:30 PM - 4:30 PM	WS 1 (404 AB)	Taiko Demo & Workshop
DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)	1:30 PM - 3:45 PM	WS 2 (406 AB)	Understanding Japanese Tea
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	4:45 PM - 6:30 PM	WS 2 (406 AB)	Learn to Play Japanese Mahjong
DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)	2:00 PM - 3:30 PM	WS 1 (404 AB)	Introduction to the Japanese Exchange and Teaching Program (JET)

## AX ANIME & MANGA STUDIES SYMPOSIUM

Japanese animation (anime) and comics (manga) are unique forms of visual culture that attract and inspire audiences around the world. The AX Anime and Manga Studies Symposium serves as the premier site for presenting and sharing research on a wide range of topics related to the creation, production, distribution, and worldwide reception of anime/manga, their history, relationships with other media, and the experiences and practices of anime and manga fans.

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)	6:00 PM - 7:30 PM	LP 4 (411)	Academic Address: The importance of Anime at Film School: Tales from the USC Classroom
DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)	7:45 PM - 8:45 PM	LP 4 (411)	Words, Scripts, Implications: Creating Meaning in Anime and Manga
DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)	3:45 PM - 4:45 PM	LP 4 (411)	Reflections of a Changing Japan in Modern Japanese Visual Culture
DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)	5:00 PM - 6:30 PM	LP 4 (411)	Examining and Questioning Japan's Place in the World
DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)	6:45 PM - 7:45 PM	LP 4 (411)	50 Years of Anime in America, 50 Years of American Anime Fans
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	2:30 PM - 3:30 PM	LP 4 (411)	Using Anime and Manga in Education
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	3:45 PM - 4:45 PM	LP 4 (411)	Girls Und Robots - Re-Evaluating "Genre" Demarcations in Anime
DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)	5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	LP 4 (411)	Anime and Manga in Hollywood - and What Happens Next
DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)	12:45 PM - 1:45 PM	LP 4 (411)	Applying Auteur, Critical, and Feminist Theory to Anime
DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)	2:00 PM - 3:00 PM	LP 4 (411)	Translating Cool: Teaching Popular Culture Through the Lens of Translation

## HobbyLink Japan Returns To Anime Expo This Year!

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# ROOM DIRECTORY

## AMV Room

515 A

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Can't get enough AMVs? Come to the AMV Room to enjoy the largest assortment in the country with themed tracks of wildly interactive programming based around them!

## Artist Alley

Kentia Hall (Lower Level of South Hall)

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)  
12:00 PM - 6:00 PM

DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)  
10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)  
10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Support aspiring artists offering original prints, commissions, crafts, clothing, comics, and more.

## Attendee Volunteer

303 B

DAY 0 (THU, JUNE 30)    DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)    DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)    DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)    DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)  
8:00 AM - 10:00 PM    8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Pre-registered Attendee Volunteers can come here to earn a free badge to Anime Expo 2016! Welcome to the volunteer team!

## Autograph Area

Kentia Hall (Lower Level of South Hall)

[See Schedule](#)

Be sure to visit the Autograph Ticket Booth by South Hall on Pico Blvd. to secure a ticket prior to lining up in the Autograph Area

## AXDance

Concourse Hall F - 152

Workshops and Competitions:  
10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

16+Dance:  
7:00 PM - 10:00 PM

18+Dance:  
10:00 PM - 2:00 AM

Local DJs and headliners from Japan all come together to play every major popular genre from J-pop to House music. Plus, take part in dance workshops and competitions.

## Bag Check

501

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)  
9:00 AM - 2:00 AM

DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)  
9:00 AM - 2:00 AM

DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)  
9:00 AM - 2:00 AM

DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)  
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Need a place to have your backpacks, props, luggage, and loot from the Exhibit Hall? We provide bag check services to hold onto your items for you when you enjoy any of the events at Anime Expo!

## Butler Café

515 B

### See Schedule

Maid & Butler Café are shows and interactive experiences with an array of entertainment, including dances, musical performances, photo ops, and more.

## Event Operations

508 A

DAY 0 (THU, JUNE 30) 12:00 PM - 12:00 AM	DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1) 9:00 AM - 2:00 AM	DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2) 9:00 AM - 2:00 AM	DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3) 9:00 AM - 2:00 AM	DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4) 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM
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Need assistance? Visit us at Event Operations. We can provide assistance with any questions or concerns you may have. PARENTS: All lost children are escorted to Event Operations to await your arrival.

## Entertainment Hall

West Hall A

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1) 10:00 AM - 12:00 AM	DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2) 10:00 AM - 12:00 AM	DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3) 10:00 AM - 12:00 AM	DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4) 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM
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eGaming, Cosplay Repair, Photo Sets, Community Stage, and more are all located within this hall.

## Exhibit Hall

South Hall

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1) 12:00 PM* - 6:00 PM	DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2) 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM	DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3) 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM	DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4) 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
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From anime to manga, fashion to video games, and music to merchandise, exhibitors will be previewing upcoming releases, connecting with fans, and demonstrating amazing new products and services. So be sure to check out over 300 exhibitors in South Hall!

\*Early entry for Premier Fans at 11:00 AM on Day 1

## Info Services

South Hall Lobby

DAY 0 (THU, JUNE 30) 11:00 AM - 12:00 AM	DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1) 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM	DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2) 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM	DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3) 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM	DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4) 7:00 AM - 5:00 PM
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## Info Services

West Hall Lobby

DAY 0 (THU, JUNE 30) 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM	DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1) 9:00 AM - 2:00 AM	DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2) 9:00 AM - 2:00 AM	DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3) 9:00 AM - 2:00 AM	DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4) 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM
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## Info Services

Entertainment Hall, Kentia Hall, Exhibit Hall

Same hours as respective halls

If you have questions about where things are located, when things are happening, or how late certain parts of the convention are open until, Info Services can help you out. All Info Services Booths are also designated SafeSpaces, where attendees can go if they feel unsafe at any time, or would like to step away from the main event areas for a period of time.

## Industry Lounge

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DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)  
10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)  
10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)  
10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Industry Lounge is open for Industry Badge attendees to catch up with work on site or hold meetings in-between panels. Wi-Fi, work stations and power sources available.

## Karaoke 1

511 AB

[See Schedule](#)

Stop by to watch or take part in one of the many contests or themed sessions going on throughout the weekend.

## Karaoke - Open Mic

518 / 511 C

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)  
1:00 PM - 2:00 AM

DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)  
1:00 PM - 2:00 AM

DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)  
1:00 PM - 2:00 AM

DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)  
1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Stop by and choose from an extensive library of anime and game soundtracks, J-pop, and more.

## Live Programming (LP) Rooms:

Live Programming includes panels, Q&As, gameshows, and more.

### LP 1

Petree Hall

[See Schedule](#)

This room will not be cleared between Panel Events, but will be cleared before Special Events (i.e. Fashion Show) and 18+ content programming.

### LP 2

403 AB

[See Schedule](#)

This room will be cleared between Panel Events.

### LP 3

408 AB

[See Schedule](#)

This room will be cleared between Panel Events.

### LP 4

411

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This room will be cleared between Panel Events.

**Lounge 21****Concourse Hall E - 151**DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)  
11:00 AM - 1:30 AMDAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)  
11:00 AM - 1:30 AMDAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)  
11:00 AM - 1:30 AMDAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)  
11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Complete with drinks and nightly performances, Lounge 21 is a great place to relax and cool off. (Must be age 21 or over to enter)

**Maid Café****515 B****See Schedule**

Maid & Butler Café are shows and interactive experiences with an array of entertainment, including dances, musical performances, photo ops, and more.

**Manga Lounge****502 A**DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)  
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9:00 AM - 11:00 PMDAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)  
9:00 AM - 11:00 PMDAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)  
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Take a break from the hustle and bustle by sitting down with one of over 4000 available volumes of manga.

**Merch Store****South Hall Lobby**DAY 0 (THU, JUNE 30)  
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9:00 AM - 7:00 PMDAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)  
9:00 AM - 7:00 PMDAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)  
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Find official AX merch at the store in the South Hall Lobby!

**Premier Fan Lounge****503**DAY 0 (THU, JUNE 30)  
2:00 PM - 9:00 PMDAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)  
9:00 AM - 8:00 PMDAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)  
9:00 AM - 8:00 PMDAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)  
9:00 AM - 8:00 PMDAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)  
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

An exclusive lounge for Anime Expo 2016 Premier Fan badge holders. Includes comfy seating, charging stations, complimentary beverages, dedicated registration, and ticketing station. A valid Anime Expo 2016 Premier Fan badge is required for entry. Premier Fans can pick-up their lanyard, and swag bags here.

\*Day 0: Only Registration Station Open. No beverages served.

**Press Lounge****304 B**DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)  
10:00 AM - 6:00 PMDAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)  
10:00 AM - 6:00 PMDAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)  
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10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

The Press Lounge provides complimentary internet in a quiet environment for work. A valid Anime Expo 2016 Press badge is required for entry.

**Quiet Room****502 B**DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)  
10:00 AM - 4:00 PMDAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)  
10:00 AM - 4:00 PMDAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)  
10:00 AM - 4:00 PMDAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

A quiet place to sit and relax.

## Tabletop Gaming

Kentia Hall

DAY 1 (FRI, JULY 1)  
10:00 AM - 12:00 AM

DAY 2 (SAT, JULY 2)  
10:00 AM - 12:00 AM

DAY 3 (SUN, JULY 3)  
10:00 AM - 12:00 AM

DAY 4 (MON, JULY 4)  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

With tournaments, learn-to-play, and free-play sessions, there's something for everyone at all skill levels.

### Video Rooms:

Video rooms feature premieres and screenings. Be among the first fans to see upcoming movies and series premiere exclusively at Anime Expo. Check out screenings to discover a new show or watch an old favorite alongside other fans.

#### VIDEO 1

JW Marriott Platinum Ballroom A-D (2nd Floor)

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This room may be cleared in preparation for highly anticipated showings.

#### VIDEO 2

JW Marriott Platinum Ballroom E-J (2nd Floor)

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#### VIDEO 3

402 AB

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This room may be cleared in preparation for highly anticipated showings.

#### VIDEO 4

409 AB

[See Schedule](#)

This room may be cleared in preparation for highly anticipated showings.

### Workshop (WS) Rooms:

Workshops are hands-on, interactive sessions that provide an opportunity to learn new skills, such as sewing, origami, dancing, and drawing.

#### WS 1

404 AB

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#### WS 2

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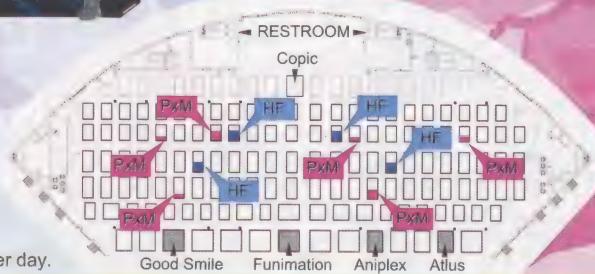
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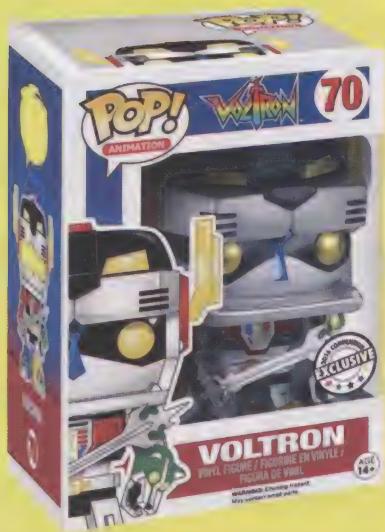
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